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IDENTIFIED

Murdered Woman is Mrs. Frances Boyd--The Story

The body of the victim of yesterday's tragedy was identified last evening as Mrs. Frances Boyd of 297 Dutton street. The identification was made by her husband, Peter Boyd, aged 30, a blacksmith at the Merrimack Print Works. Boyd was taken to Brooks' warerooms by Officer J. B. Crowley, and at once identified the woman as that of his wife beyond any doubt.

He then went to the police station and was put through a cross-examination, and in answer to the many questions put to him told the following story: "My wife and I roomed at Mrs. Denby's boarding house at the corner of Dutton and Broadway. Last night we started out together early in the evening. I was going to see a man named Morrissey about some work, while my wife was going to a pawn shop on John street to dispose of a skirt. We parted at the corner of John and Merrimack streets, and I saw Morrissey. Later I joined my wife around on Bridge street and we started up home. We walked up Merrimack street to Maiden Lane and through Maiden Lane to Market, from there to Dutton and then to the room. We got to the room before nine o'clock and shortly after we got there I went to bed. In the meantime my wife went to an oil stove she had and cooked some soup for me. After I had eaten the soup in bed I lay down, handing her back the soup plate and she sat down and began reading The Lowell Sun. I fell asleep and when I woke up between 10 and 10.30 o'clock I found the lamp burning, the door open, but no sign of my wife. I put on my clothes and went down to the door to wait until the show in the People's theatre was over. I spoke to a man named Patrick Dwyer while at the door. Dwyer had been to the show. Then I went back to bed and woke up at my usual time to find that she had not returned. I heard in the house that a woman had been murdered, but went to my work and did not think to go down to the undertaker's until nearly evening."

When asked if his wife had ever gone out over night before, Mr. Boyd reluctantly replied affirmatively. He admitted, too, that his wife went occasionally, but made an honest effort to shield her faults, when questioned. When asked point blank if he had heard of her keeping company with any man he broke down and wept, but replied negatively.

The couple had been rooming at Denby's since last May. Mrs. Boyd was formerly employed as a weaver in the Merrimack and Boott mills. While the couple roomed together, they boarded apart, the woman preparing her own food in the room, while the husband ate outside. The murdered woman's maiden name was Frances Smith, and she lived in Lawrence, where her married brother, Stephen Smith, now resides. Since their marriage, the couple had never had any trouble, though while the husband is a sober, industrious and steady working man, his wife had not worked much since last May, and was known to drink. They had no children and before moving to Denby's, lived on Frost street. On Saturday last together they went to Lawrence to visit Mrs. Boyd's brother's family.

Mr. Boyd, while speaking with the officers, explained how his wife came to have a hat bought in Lawrence. Last summer he stated she purchased a hat in the Bon Marche in this city, and afterward wore it to Lawrence. Her sister-in-law became fascinated with it and wanted it. As a result, Mrs Boyd "swapped" it for the hat which she wore on the night of the murder.

Boyd's parents reside on School street near Middlesex, and are eminently respectable, as is he. His wife had been before the police court a few times. Boyd could give no explanation of his wife's action whatever in leaving the house, but holds drink responsible for the sad fate.

Mr. Boyd further stated that the first suspicion he had that the murdered woman might be his wife was at supper time last night when a fellow boarder read from The Sun a description of the clothing. When Boyd heard the description of the cape he said: "That's just like my wife's cape," and he immediately went out and met Officer J. B. Crowley who accompanied him to the morgue.

NOT HER WATCH.

The silver watch mentioned in the reports of the crime if stolen at the time of the tragedy was stolen from the man who accompanied Mrs. Boyd, because the latter's husband stated that she owned no watch.

WAS LIGHT-HEADED.

The murdered woman, it is said, was light-headed upon taking the least drink and her husband believes that she was not a bad woman but went off with some one while under the influence of liquor. Where the couple lived on Bridge street, Boyd states the landlady informed him one day that they would have to get other quarters as his wife made too much disturbance when under the influence of liquor. Her landlady also stated that Mrs. Boyd had a man in her room but that was the only time her husband heard of her doing wrong and he doubted the truth of the accusation. With the exception of her fondness for liquor the husband states she had always been a good wife.

ABSENCE OF DR. IRISH.

The subject of some discussion yesterday was the fact that Medical Examiner Irish was not called to conduct the post mortem examination. This was due to a misunderstanding arising apparently from an error made in the office of Dr. Irish.

MRS. PETER BOYD OF DUTTON STREET, THE MURDERED WOMAN.

It has been the custom when necessity required it, to call upon Dr. Meigs to perform autopsies. Dr. Meigs has done this work for some time in the absence of Dr. Irish and it was believed that the latter was out of town yesterday. It seems that Capt. Kew called at the office of Dr. Irish, Monday afternoon and was told by the clerk that the doctor was not in and that he had gone out of town and he would not be back until Tuesday.

When the suicide of Michael Kane was called to the attention of the police Capt. Kew telephoned to Dr. Jones and was told that Dr. Meigs had been appointed assistant medical examiner to act in the absence of Dr. Irish. Believing Dr. Irish to be out of town, according to the statement of the clerk, Capt. Kew then called Dr. Meigs. The latter responded and officiated in both cases. But in the meantime Dr. Irish had returned to this city coming in unexpectedly on an evening train on Monday night. This was not known to the police or to Dr. Meigs, however, and the consequence was that Dr. Irish was not sent for.

OFFICERS WARNED.

The officers of the different shifts last night were instructed with reference to the murder. They were warned as to the necessity of vigilance and ordered to arrest all persons who were unable to account for themselves. No definite descriptions of the murderers were given, for the simple reason that they were not obtainable.

LANDLADY'S STORY.

At Mrs. Denby's boarding house Mr. and Mrs. Boyd were spoken of quite highly, the husband particularly so. Said Mrs. Denby to The Sun reporter last evening: "Mr. Boyd told me that the murdered woman was his wife, and I tell you it gave me a shock. I can't conceive of such a thing. They were a good couple, though Mrs. Boyd did drink sometimes. Mr. Boyd never drinks and works hard every day. I never heard a cross word between them and yesterday when I heard Mrs. Boyd singing to herself while at her work, I said to her: 'My, you are happy always singing.' Then she replied, 'I might as well be that way as sad.' Another time when I spoke to her she said that she and her husband lived a happy life and added, 'No matter what I have said to my husband he has never raised his hand to me.'

I believe that some one must have got her to take liquor and then enticed her away. I don't think she would ever leave her husband over night if she was in her sober senses.

MR. DENBY TALKS.

Mr. John Denby said: "I always call Mr. Boyd at 5.30 o'clock in the morning and generally his wife answers, but this morning he answered. When he got up I told him that there had been a suicide and that a woman had been murdered during the night. He then said, 'My wife has been out all night, and she'll have to give an account of herself when she comes back. Then he went out to work and returned a little while ago to tell us that it was his wife who had been murdered."

The police upon learning of the identification went to work with renewed efforts and sought to learn where Mrs. Boyd frequented, in hope of getting a clue to the identity of the man who walked up Broadway with her. Now that her identity is known, it is not strange that she should be at the upper end of Broadway, for though at quite a distance from her home, it is a straight road from one end of the street to the other.

TWO NEW THEORIES.

Her husband states that when she went out with him she had no money, but got some at the pawn shop. At the latter place it was learned that she had pawned a skirt for which she received 50 cents. Two theories are advanced as to her disappearance from her room. One is that she had an appointment with some one and went out of the house silently and met him walking with him to the end of the street and the scene of the tragedy. The other is that with 50 cents in her possession she was able to procure liquor and went out to some neighboring kitchen bar room and while drinking there met the man with whom she took the fatal walk. Extra police were sent out last night to follow out these theories.

Suspicion at present does not rest with the man who took the walk with her, though it will if he continues to conceal his identity. With that man known and his story heard, the police believe it will be comparatively easy to run down the other three. It is the opinion of all who are working on the case that the dead woman's escort, whoever he may be, is jeopardizing his chances for liberty in the future if he remains concealed. At present it is the prevailing opinion that the first man had nothing to do with causing her death, but his continued concealment of himself from public view tends to implicate him.

DUNLAVEY DISMISSED.

Officer James Dunlavey, once a lieutenant and right hand man of Supt. Davis, and one of the oldest members on the force, was dismissed from the force by the police commissioners last evening, after a private hearing. While the public criticised him most harshly for his attitude in the affair, nothing has been heard stronger than the official report of the police board on the matter.

The report is as follows:

The board gave a hearing to Officer James Dunlavey, who is charged with neglect of duty in refusing to go to a place where a murderous assault was being committed on a woman, his neglect resulting in murder and the escape of the criminals. Dunlavey denied that he saw Bridgford, who said he saw him at Broadway and Fletcher streets, until he saw him at half past one at Gage's ice houses. Joseph Bridgford, Michael McCarty, a baker, and Daniel Donahue, watchman for the Boston Paving Co., testified that they saw Dunlavey at a quarter to one at Lavery's bakery, Fletcher and Broadway, and heard the notification of Dunlavey, who told Bridgford to go and get some one else.

Even when at his box at half past one at the ice houses, he neglected to notify headquarters. This neglect allowed the men coming off duty to go home, when otherwise they could have been sent out to hunt up the murderers and capture them. The board found it was a gross of neglect of duty and voted that Dunlavey be dismissed from the force. The order of his dismissal was read at all roll calls.

A COINCIDENCE.

A striking coincidence in the case is the manner in which the name of Annie Collins figures in the case. It will be remembered that yesterday a woman named Clara Hamilton was quite sure from the description that the murdered woman was Annie Collins of Methuen, although when she viewed the remains she was positive that the dead woman was not Annie Collins. Last night when Mr. Boyd was talking to the police, he stated that his wife went off about seven or eight weeks ago and was brought home intoxicated by a woman named Annie Collins and a tall woman whom he didn't know.

POLICE STATEMENT.

The police wish to have the following announced for the benefit of the man who was with Mrs. Boyd on the night of the murder. They do not believe that the man had anything to do with the murder and have no intention of arresting him for murder. They believe that the man, whoever he may be, is fearful that he will be apprehended for murder and for that reason is in hiding.

WHALEN RELEASED.

Patrick Whalen, who was arrested yesterday on suspicion of being connected with the Boyd murder was released from custody this morning.

DID NOT QUARREL.

A report was started last night that the couple had quarreled early in the evening in their room, but this is denied by Mr. and Mrs. Derby, whose rooms adjoin that occupied by the Boyds.

NO FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS

Up to 11 o'clock this morning, the husband of the murdered woman had not appeared at the undertaker's to make arrangements for the funeral and until Mr. Derby, the boarding house keeper, appeared this forenoon, it looked as if the body of the unfortunate woman would be consigned to a grave in the Potter's Field, Mr. Boyd having stated that he had no money.

Mr. Derby appeared this forenoon, and said Mr. Boyd's father would attend to the funeral and that it will take place this afternoon. Mr. Brooks, the undertaker, however, knew nothing of it at this writing.

TWO BIG SEIZURES

Liquor Taken From Centralville This Morning

The liquor inspectors made a big seizure of liquor from a room over Gregoire's stable on West Fourth street this morning. The room is let to Joseph Litch, a druggist, and from it were taken about 30 gallons of whiskey, and wine. Later the inspectors visited the freight depot and seized a barrel of whiskey consigned to Mr. Gregoire, but improperly addressed.

DEATHS.

ELLIOTT--Margaret Elliott, aged 73 years, died Monday at the city hospital.

TUNNY—Harry V. Tunny, aged 19 years and 9 months, died yesterday afternoon at his late home, 5 Simpson place. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from St. Peter's church.

O'CONNELL—Catherine O'Connell, an old resident of this city, died yesterday at her late home, 8 in the rear of 92 Dummer street. She leaves one sister, Mrs. John F. O'Brien, and two Owen and John O'Connell. The funeral will take place Friday morning.

RAYMOND—Joseph H. Raymond, for a number of years janitor at the Opera House, and well known throughout the city, died yesterday at his late home, 10 Concord street. He was 23 years old. He leaves besides his parents, two brothers, Charles and William, and two sisters, Lucy and Addie.

WYLIE—James Wylie, aged 30 years, died yesterday morning at his late home, 53 Willie street.

GAUDETTE--Clara Gaudette, aged 20 years, died yesterday at the home of her parents, 48 Ward street. The funeral will take place Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from St. Joseph's church.

FUNERALS.

WETHERBEE—The funeral of Mary E. Wetherbee took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the warerooms of Undertaker Savage. Interment was in the Edson cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker Savage.

McCLOUGHRY—The funeral of Marguerite McCloughry took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her parents, William and Frances, 325 Worthen street. Rev. Rowjey Green officiated. Interment was in the Edson cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker J. A. Weinbeck.

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ANOTHER CRIME

Mrs. Mary Knowles Fought a Burglar

At Her Home on London Street This Morning and Was Brutally Stabbed With Evidently a Chisel—No Clue to the Burglar's Identiry

While the police are yet in the dark regarding the solution of yesterday's murder mystery, their attention was called this morning to another lawless outrage, in which an elderly woman was brutally assaulted with a weapon dangerous to life while bravely struggling with the worst kind of a burglar, a marauder who entered her sleeping apartment in the night.

The victim of the brutal assault is Mrs. Mary H. Knowles, widow of the late William Knowles, who resides with her daughter, Miss Gertrude Knowles, at 48 London street, and her assailant at present is unknown to the police.

The mother and daughter occupy a flat on the ground floor of the house, and a family named Pearson lives over them. Mr. James Carney, the well-known hack driver, resides next door, and Deputy Moffatt of the police department lives almost directly across the street.

The story of the affair is very clearly told by Deputy Moffatt as follows:

"Shortly before 2 o'clock this morning my wife was awakened by screams and loud talking on the other side of the street and she at once woke me. Looking out of the window I heard voices saying that Mrs. Knowles' house across the street had been broken into. I immediately dressed and while dressing some one rang my door bell and shouted that Mrs. Knowles, had been assaulted.

"I rushed to the house and found Mrs. Knowles in her bedroom, in night attire, covered with blood which streamed from a bad cut in her left forehead. The cut was fully an inch long and went into the skull. On the center of her forehead was an abrasion. Her condition seemed critical, and I ran to the fair grounds box and notified the police station telling them to send a doctor immediately. In a short time Capt. Kew, Lieut., Broonan and Dr. T. B. Smith arrived at the house and the last named dressed Mrs. Knowles' wound.

In the meantime, I returned to the house and made an investigation. The curtain in the side window of the bedroom was torn down, as was a half curtain on a rod in the window, the floor window casing and sill and the wall under the window were besmeared with blood, showing that a struggle had taken place at the window. There was also blood on the outside of the house at the window and a mosquito netting which had been in a wooden frame on the outside of the window was torn off and lay on the ground nearby. I then went around to the front of the house and found that a front window on the piazza had been tampered with. At this window the mosquito netting had been torn at the catch as if the burglar had attempted to gain entrance by this window, but had given it up upon finding the window locked. At the side window, the catch of the blind was pulled out, as if the burglar in making his escape had caught his clothing in the catch, though there was no sign of torn clothing there.

"The side window was open all night to admit air to the room, and this made it comparatively easy for the burglar to enter. Mrs. Knowles was in a very serious condition when I last saw her this morning.

MRS. KNOWLES' STORY.

The victim of the assault, although making a brave struggle with the burglar, is now very ill as a result of loss of blood and the shock to her nervous system. When somewhat calmed down she told her story of the affair. She said that at an early hour she was awakened by a noise near her window, but thinking it was Mr. Carney, the hack driver, returning home after his night's work, paid no attention to it. But when she soon after heard the noise again at her bedroom window she went to the window and opening the blinds looked out but could see nothing. She then returned to bed but had hardly lain down when to her horror, a man jumped in through the window.

Mrs. Knowles jumped from the bed screaming and grappled with the burglar. As she caught him he made a break for the window, but the plucky woman held on screaming lustily. At the window the burglar lifted his arm and struck Mrs. Knowles a vicious blow with an instrument which she said was about 12 inches long and rather sharp on one end but not sharp enough to cut her hand for she grasped it and tried to wrench it away from her assailant.

The blow on the forehead so stunned her that she speedily lost strength and the burglar jumping through the window disappeared with surprising suddenness.

The police and the neighbors searched the vicinity but could find no clue to the burglar.

An arrest was made but through a misunderstanding. Henry Carney, the son of the hack driver, was awakened and sent for assistance. An officer seeing him running arrested him on suspicion. He was released after an explanation was made.

The weapon used by the burglar was evidently a chisel. The cut in Mrs. Knowles' head was almost as clean as that of a knife.

From all appearances crime is again holding a bloody carnival in this city for local police history shows that an outbreak such as the murder of yesterday has always been followed by at least two other crimes. The second is reported above.

What will the third be?

ANOTHER BATTLE

Gen. Schwan Comes Upon Hidden Trenches

SEVEN MEN AND ONE OFFICER KILLED

Bodies of Filipinos Strewn Along the Way

THE MULES COLLAPSED IN THE MUD

The Roads Almost Impassible at Many Points

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO DE MALABON, Oct. 10, via. Manila, Oct. 11.—General Schwan's column approaching this town, marched through a country so muddy that the mules all collapsed. He occupied the time without fighting, the insurgents retreating under cover of the creek beds. Later, reconnoitering in force southward, General Schwan came upon trenches which were hidden, the insurgents poured several volleys upon the general and his staff. The rebels resisted stubbornly. The reconnoiterers, consisting of Captain Geary's battalion of the 14th regiment and two guns of Riley's battery, drove the insurgents two miles, fighting all the way. They found a field piece and several wounded and sick Filipinos flying a red flag and captured 25 insurgents, including three officers. Many Filipino dead were strewn along the fields. The American's total loss was one officer and seven men wounded.

General Schwan's main column started at daylight this morning along a fearful road on the left bank of the river, flankers being thrown far out, and Major Budd's battalion on the right bank covering the flank rendering the fire from the insurgent trenches ineffective. Major Budd returned to Santa Cruz before dark.

The natives seem to be generally supporters of the insurrection, but few have arms. There was much firing at American soldiers from the native huts. General Schwan spent the night at Malabon.

NEW DEPUTY SHERIFF.

Charles A. Eveleth of Lowell has been appointed a deputy sheriff by Sheriff John R. Fairbairn. The news came to Lowell yesterday and Mr. Eveleth's friends are congratulating him. Mr. Eveleth was born in Orono, Me., in 1856 and came to Lowell in 1874. For six years he has been with Shepard & Fuller in the real estate business. Barring a few terms in the common council he has not been in public office.

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BOER ULTIMATUM

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Sent There Since the Bloemfontein Conference

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Oct. 10.—A London news agency publishes the following dispatch from Pretoria, filed there at 7.40 p. m., yesterday:

"An urgent dispatch has just been handed to Mr. Conyngham Greene, the British diplomatic agent, requesting an explicit assurance of the withdrawal within 48 hours of the British troops from the Transvaal borders as well as the withdrawal of all British forces landed in South Africa since the Bloemfontein conference."

The more peaceful tenor of the morning's news and comments had scarcely been digested and aroused hopes that President Kruger's birthday would also mark the commencement of the dissipation of the clouds hanging over South Africa when the sensational announcement that the Transvaal government had handed a definite ultimatum to the British diplomatic agent in Pretoria, caused a rapid slump in the hopes of those who believed that diplomacy would save the situation.

Apart from this the news tended to show that so long as the Boers remained inactive, Great Britain would continue to adhere to her present persuasive methods. The speech of the Duke of Devonshire, lord president of the council of ministers, at Sheffield yesterday, contained nothing to confirm the assertion made by the Jingo press that the final proposals of the British government would contain sweeping aggressive schemes and to this extent it oiled the waters. The peace party even deduced from the duke's utterances that a reformulation of President Kruger's proposals of a five year franchise, minus the suzerainty proviso would lead to such negotiations as would insure peace.

The officials of the Colonial office worked all night and Mr. Chamberlain arrived there early this morning. In some quarters it was intimated that the government had received notification of the Boer ultimatum and were relieved in consequence, as the government considered the Boers now placed in a position of having forced the war.

Whatever official feeling might be, there was no mistaking the significance of the great manifestation combined with war spirit of imperial solidarity that occurred in the streets of London this morning when the New Wales Lancers traversed the city to embark for South Africa. Tens of thousands assembled to do homage to the little handful of soldiery representing the empire's loyalty.

From the arrival of the squadron at Waterloo station to Fenchurch station, tumultuous scenes of wild enthusiasm marked the route traversed. The bands were allowed to play nothing but "Soldiers of the Queen," "Rule Britannia," and "God Save the Queen" in which the dense crowds joined.

It is doubtful if such frenzied welcome was ever before witnessed in London. There was an incessant roar of cheers and songs until the Mansion House, the official residence of the Lord Mayor of London was reached. Here traffic was completely blocked by the surging throngs and it was only with the greatest difficulty that the Lord Mayor, Sir John Voce Moore, in the fullrobes of office, restrained the singing and vociferous cheering while he addressed the colonial troops, wishing them God speed and expressing the interest of the country in their heroic determination to assist in asserting imperial authority in South Africa.

The only wonder is why President Kruger is resolved upon fighting, he has waited so long. The explanation seems to be that his hand has been forced by the fact that the Boers have got out of control or that, if he should wait the arrival of the British army corps, the chances of military successes for him would be of the slimmest possible character. The expiration of the time limit of the ultimatum tomorrow evening does not leave Great Britain much time to strengthen the present military position, although there are still a few troops at Durban, Natal, available for despatch to the front and the government will doubtless now adopt the suggestion to form the refugees from the Rand into Volunteer regiments.

News has been received that the Boers have constructed forts commanding Laings Nek and that the guns have been mounted on Mount Prospect and Mount Prospect. A dispatch from Durban, Natal, dated yesterday says:

"The Gordon Highlanders and all the troops that arrived from India today have been ordered to Ladysmith.

"The coal that was seized by the Orange Free State authorities has been released, the officials explaining that it was seized because they thought the Transvaal mines were likely to close.

THE ULTIMATUM.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Oct. 10.—The text of the Transvaal ultimatum, it is understood, is now on the way to the British foreign office. According to the latest advices the time limit expires tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock, when, if the demands of the Boers are not complied with, the further landing or dispatch of troops will be considered an act of war and hostilities will commence immediately.

A special dispatch from Bloemfontein, capital of the Orange Free State, notes the difficulties in working the railroads, owing to the resignations of the employes. The Orange Free State authorities are already borrowing engineers from the Transvaal.

The action of the British third-class cruiser Pallonel in intercepting the British steamer Guelph from Southampton, supposed to be carrying ammunition to the Boers, and the fact that the Pallonel sailed today to intercept the German line steamer Kansler with ammunition, go to show that Great Britain will not permit future deliveries to the Boers if this can be prevented.

To these demands, is appended the definition of the time limit for a reply:

"This government presses for an immediate and affirmative answer to the four questions and requests Her Majesty's government to return an answer on or before Wednesday, Oct. 11, 1899, not later than 5 o'clock p. m.

"It desires further to add that in the unexpected event of an answer not satisfactorily being received by it within the interval it will with great regret be compelled to regard the action of Her Majesty's government as a formal declaration of war and will not hold itself responsible for the consequences thereof and that in the event of any further movement of troops occurring within the above-mentioned time in a manner direction to our borders, this government will be compelled to regard that also as a formal declaration of war. I have the honor to be,

Respectfully yours,

F. W. REITZ, Sec'y.

The diplomatic circumstances surrounding the presentation of the ultimatum are probably without precedent. Ordinarily a foreign power when addressing peremptory demands to another sends them through an ambassador or minister accredited to its adversary.

The Transvaal government, however, has no diplomatic representative recognized by Great Britain. Mr. Montague, while the Transvaal consul general in London, would not be received by either the foreign office or the colonial office. Consequently President Kruger was reduced to handing the ultimatum to Mr. Conyngham Greene at Pretoria, who in turn wired it to Sir Alfred Milner, British high commissioner in South Africa, by whom it was transmitted to Mr. Joseph Chamberlain who thus becomes the first secretary of state for the colonies who has ever received an ultimatum. As soon as the communication is translated from the cipher in which it is transmitted, Mr. Chamberlain will forward it to the foreign office.

The Westminster Gazette says: "We learn from a trustworthy source that the British government has also dispatched a note containing stringent demands which must have crossed the Boer ultimatum. Diplomacy has thus played its last card and the last word on each side is of the kind to which the other is not in the least likely to yield."

WANT ARBITRATION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Oct. 10.—The Transvaal ultimatum, which is signed by Mr. F. W. Reitz, secretary of state, concludes with the following four demands:

First. That all points of mutual difference be regulated by friendly recourse to arbitration or by whatever amicable way may be agreed upon by this government and her majesty's government.

Second. That all troops on the borders of this republic shall be instantly withdrawn.

Third. That all reinforcements of troops which have arrived in South Africa since June 1, 1899, shall be removed from South Africa within a reasonable time to be agreed upon with this government and with the mutual assurances and guarantee on the part of this government that no attack or hostilities against any portion of the possessions of the British government shall be made by this republic during the further negotiations within a period of time to be subsequently agreed upon between the governments; and this government will, on compliance therewith, be prepared to withdraw the armed burghers of this republic from the borders.

Fourth. That Her Majesty's troops which are now on the high seas shall not be landed in any part of South Africa.

WITHOUT BAIL

Hal Hollingsworth Held For Grand Jury

PRISONER PLEADED NOT GUILTY

He Wept Bitterly During the Trial

By Associated Press to The Sun.

UXBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 10.—Hal Alsea Hollingsworth, charged with the murder of Myrtle Mabel Leonard, at East Douglas, Sunday, after a hearing here today, before Judge Putnam, was held for the grand jury, without bail. The defendant will be taken to Worcester, where he will remain in jail until the grand jury meets next Monday.

Assistant District Attorney George S. Taft conducted the case for the government and Francis N. Thayer of Blackstone appeared for the defendant.

The proceedings were begun at 9.10. The prisoner appeared nervous and ill at ease. When the charge was read, and he pleaded not guilty in a faint voice, he resumed his seat, leans coiled over his chair.

Medical Examiner W. L. Brown of Uxbridge testified concerning the autopsy and said the death was due to hemorrhage of the lungs resulting by a penetration of a revolver bullet.

Officer Moses H. Taloma and Deputy Sheriff Heath told of the arrest of the defendant, and Deputy Heath related the statements in which at different times Hollingsworth said: "I didn't mean to do it." "What shall I plead?" "I shot her but it was an accident."

Mrs. Lucy J. Dudley, wife of Gustavus H. Dudley, and mother of the girl who was killed, testified as to the family and the adoption of the girl. She recalled the circumstances as she saw them and to hearing the defendant say, "I've killed Myrtle."

Charles A. Stevens, a friend of Hollingsworth, told that he loaned him a revolver on Sunday.

John T. S. Deadett described the incidents of the shooting. He said that when the first shot was fired, the girl remarked: "It's Hal." As they stepped to the side of the road, the second shot was fired and the girl exclaimed, "O-o, I'm hit." The third shot followed when the defendant was standing not more than 15 feet away. The girl fell, uttering the words: "I'm killed, remember me." The defendant started away. Witness said: "Come here." Hollingsworth advanced asking "What have I done?" Witness replied, "Killed Myrtle." Hollingsworth fell to his knees, with the exclamation "I would not have killed her for anything."

This ended the testimony for the government.

The defendant's lawyer said he had nothing to say at this time, and the court ordered the defendant held for the grand jury.

ATTENTION POST 135, G. A. R.

Comrades are notified to attend post meeting, Wednesday evening, October 11th at 8 p. m. to take action on invitation of Deputy Commander to attend the reception of Admiral Dewey in Boston.

By order of

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F. C. Adams, Adjutant.

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TERRY McGOVERN

Easily Defeated Billy Rotchford at Chicago

BOUT LASTED ONLY ONE MINUTE

Al Weinig Won "From Bill" Quinn

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHICAGO, Oct. 10.—It took Terry McGovern about one minute to decide last night's encounter with Billy Rotchford of Chicago at Tattersall's.

The men were scheduled to go six rounds, but McGovern went at Rotchford in much the same way as he attacked Pedlar Palmer a month ago at New York and put his man to sleep before the crowd fairly had settle back to watch the sport.

The contest was utterly one-sided. McGovern went at his man fiercely and Rotchford was soon helpless and groggy. He tried to save himself by clinching, but McGovern did terrible work at close range, and Rotchford was laid low at the end of one minute.

WEINIG WINS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 10.—Al Weinig, the cyclist boxer, defeated "Scaldy Bill" Quinn in the 13th round of the 25-round bout at the Olympic A. C. last night. Quinn went to the floor in almost every round, but was dangerous at all times. He remained down a second too long in the 13th round and the referee decided against him.

In the preliminaries Emil Sanchez of Rochester and Rufus McNabb of Buffalo fought 12 rounds to a draw.

O'DONNELL REFUSED TO BOX.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 10.—Steve O'Donnell, New York, refused to fight 25 rounds here last night with Tom Cary, New York, as he had signed an agreement, and 65 per cent. of the money was given to Cary, while the Navarre athletic club kept the remainder. There was a large crowd, and the indignation was great. Two local colored men fought 11 rounds preliminary, Brutus Clay and Jim Danier, the former getting the decision.

WOMEN CONVICTS

Start a Riot in Hudson N. Y. Reformatory

TURNED A HOSE ON THE MATRON

And Smashed Everything In Sight

By Associated Press to The Sun.

HUDSON, N. Y., Oct. 10.—When the governor appointed a new board of managers of the Hudson reformatory a few months ago one of their first acts was the abolishment of all corporal punishment. Since the new system has been in force several outbreaks by the women inmates have occurred but nothing in comparison to that which was commenced yesterday.

The girls had returned from service in the chapel when under the leadership of Miss McCormack about sixty broke ranks and commenced to smash and break everything in sight. The few guards and matrons were powerless to subdue them. The report of riot was soon communicated to the rest of the cottage inmates and soon 300 women were on the rampage.

They ran the hose cart to the hydrant attached the hose and nearly drowned a matron who remonstrated. They attacked the guards, knocked one of the men down and trampled on him. The police were sent for and it took them several hours to line up the women. They at one time made a rush on the officers and Serxt. Cruise was forced to draw his revolver and point it at them before they would desist. There were not cells enough to put all the prisoners in and all night and this morning the air was rent with cat calls and blasphemous language.

A requisition was made on the state controller for 25 pairs of handcuffs and these and all that could be borrowed from the Hudson police and from Sheriff Jessup are now on the hands of the girls. Five of the leaders are chained to the floor of cottage No. 6. This morning on application of the board of managers, Sheriff Jessup swore in twelve deputies to guard the grounds until further orders. A meeting of the managers has been announced for Friday.

GREAT DAMAGE

DONE BY A FIRE IN MILL VALLEY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 10.—A fire believed to have been of incendiary origin, has done great damage in Mill Valley and the adjoining country about the base of Mount Tamalpais.

Corte Madera Gulch, Boyle Canon, Blithedale Canon and the Cascades were denuded of their majestic pines and redwoods, which the flames swept away like so much dry grass.

"Uncle Nat's" the residence of George T. Hatch, was destroyed. Over 600 acres were burned over and several buildings destroyed. Hundreds of men from Sausalito and other adjacent points, fought the flames for many hours and over a dozen persons were severely burned. The loss ranges from $300,000 to $500,000. Lorenzo Ferrari who was fighting the fire is missing and is believed to have been burned to death.

ASST. SEC. VANDERLIP'S ORDER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Vanderlip has issued an order anticipating the November interest without discount. The order also provides for the anticipation of the entire fiscal year's interest at a discount of 2-10 of one per cent. a month. If this offer is taken advantage of it will release about $30,000,000.

ADMIRAL DEWEY

ARRIVED IN NEW YORK THIS MORNING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—Admiral Dewey arrived here this morning from Washington on a special train over the Pennsylvania railroad and proceeded at once over the New York Central for Vermont. The entire train was carried across the North river on floats. The admiral did not leave his car except once or twice in the New York Central yards to bow his acknowledgements of the cheers given for him by a crowd of 500 or 600 people gathered to do him honor. Troy was the first stopping place.

EARLE IS WELL

Favorable Report From Small Pox Patient

PREPARATIONS ARE BEING MADE

To Care for Cases Tha May Arise

The small pox patient, John Earle is in good condition, and the favorable reports of the attending physicians are encouraging indeed.

John Fitzgerald, who is also at the contagious hospital, has not shown any symptoms of small pox.

The board of health held another meeting yesterday afternoon and listened to reports submitted by the agent, the physician and the inspectors.

The Sisters of Charity of St. John's hospital and the Lowell general hospital have volunteered to supply nurses, in case there should be any outbreak of small pox.

The board of health is preparing to be on the safe side, should any more cases break out. With that end in view, they are securing options on the services of male and female attendants and are also arranging for the care of any new patients.

These preparations are being made so that the city will be in a position to battle the spread of the sickness, and prevent it, if possible. And while all this is being done, the board has an eye to the expenses, which are being kept as low as possible without crippling the department.

Unexpended average monthly expenditures for 9 months, $725.36; average monthly for 3 months, $613.12; receipts, to general treasury fund for September, $7.30; total expenditures for nine months 1898, $6,861.21; 1899, $6,519.07; decrease in 1899, $343.14.

The expenses of the yard department for October were $2190.10 against $2,538.57, for the same month last year.

Balance of appropriation October 1st, 1899, $7,535.53; average monthly expenditures for nine months, $2,052.66; average monthly unexpended for three months, $2,511.87; receipts to general treasury fund for September, $151.04; total expenditures for nine months, 1898, $21,415.49; 1899, $23,513.11; decrease in 1899, $365.65.

During the first nine month this year there were collected 3002 loads of swill against 2706½ during the same months last year. The cash received for swill during this time was $2,715.74, against $1,599.40 during the first nine months last year.

Increase in number of loads, 289; increase in cash received, $1,116.34; total payment to general treasury fund to October 1, 1898, $2,370.41; total payment to general treasury fund to October 1st, 1899, $3,059.05; increase paid to general fund from January 1st to October 1st, $687.71.

PRES. McKINLEY

HOW HE WILL SPEND HIS LAST DAY IN CHICAGO.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHICAGO, Oct. 10.—Today is President McKinley's last day of his stay in Chicago and it was so arranged as to permit the chief executive of the nation to see the most people and participate in the most entertainments in the least possible time.

The day was taken up in informal receptions, luncheons and banquets and was to culminate in the evening in the industrial pageant. The reunion of Illinois regiments and the army of Tennessee, an annual event of importance was the first thing on the day's program. Here the president was greeted by the old comrades in arms and their wives and daughters. Following the reunion of the Illinois regiments and the army of Tennessee, the balance of the day's program is as follows:

11 a. m. Reception to the president and Mrs. McKinley at the Women's Athletic club.

12 m. Reception to the president at the Press club.

1 p. m. Canadian-American reception and luncheon for Premier Laurier at the Great Northern Hotel. Luncheon to internal revenue officials at the Union League club. Public reception for President McKinley at Memorial hall.

4 p. m. Luncheon for the president at the Chicago club.

6.45 p. m. Illumination of the court of honor.

6.30 p. m. Commercial club banquet for the president at the auditorium.

8.30 p. m. Banquet for Postmaster General Smith at the Auditorium.

8 p. m. Industrial parade.

11.30 p. m. President leaves the city for Evansville, Ind.

FOSS SENTENCED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CONCORD, N. H., Oct. 10.—In the United States court, this morning, Frank B. Foss, who converted to his own use $200 of the government funds, while postmaster at Hill, was sentenced by Judge Aldrich to a year and a half in Manchester jail and to pay a fine of $500.

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LOST THEIR LIVES

Soldiers Drowned While Crossing Rivers at Manila

CORPORAL PETER LARSON A HERO

Drowned While Trying to Save Others

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANILA, Sept. 4, via San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 10.—The Army in Luzon has lost more men during the past fortnight by drowning than by bullets. All the little streams, which in dry weather were mere creeks, have become swift, wide rivers, with unexpected and treacherous currents and eddies. Ten colored soldiers of the 25th infantry were drowned at the Moriquina river on the 22d of August in a drift exactly duplicating the loss of five soldiers in the Pasig river three months ago. Soldiers are conveyed across streams on bamboo rafts whose motive power is a rope stretched between the banks. In both cases the ropes broke, the rafts were overturned and part of the soldiers, weighted down with guns, haversacks, heavy ammunition belts, were unable to reach shore. Private J. Poole of the 22th lost his life in attempting to rescue his comrades.

The last of the bodies of the ten soldiers were recovered in the river this week and all have been buried with military honors.

Four men of the Third infantry stationed at Quingua were drowned in the Bagbag river before daylight on the morning of the 17th when the regiment was starting against the forces of Futar, which were threatening the railroad near Malalos. Corporal Peter Larson was the hero of this accident. He was drowned in a brave effort to save others. Lieut. Chauncey B. Humphreys rescued several of his men by great effort and was himself nearly drowned during the work. The regiment started from Quingua at 3 o'clock in the morning and swam the Bagbag river, carrying their guns, 140 rounds of ammunition and haversacks. The river is wide and shallow and most of the distance was fordable but the current had become so swift that many were carried off their feet. Seventeen were compelled to drop their guns to get across.

Corporal Larson had reached the farther shore when he heard the cries of the drowning men and plunged back with his gun still strapped to his back. He carried one man of his company to safety and turned back a second time. He was heard to say: "I don't think I can make it, but will try."

He reached midstream and was struggling to bring out another helpless private when both sank and were lost. Most of the men took off their shoes before crossing and marched and fought all day in their socks, a most uncomfortable experience in the jungle country.

T. J. Mattens of Leavenworth, Kansas, a private of the 29th infantry, was drowned in the Pasig on the 23d. He was boarding a schooner in front of the office of the captain of the port when a rope to which he was holding broke and he fell into the river. He rose only once but as no help could reach him, he disappeared.

BRAKEMAN KILLED

A SHIFTING LOCOMOTIVE BACKED UPON HIM.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Oct. 10.—John M. Skerry, yard brakeman in the Boston & Maine railroad yards in this city, was instantly killed before daylight this morning by a shifting locomotive backing upon him. His back, both legs and one arm were broken. He was 26 years of age and has parents residing in Canada.

MARTHA WILLIAMS

SAID TO BE OF UNSOUND MIND.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ATTLEBORO, Mass., Oct. 10—Miss Martha Williams, the young woman, who was arraigned yesterday on a charge of infanticide, is said to be of unsound mind. It is stated that physicians have examined her, but the result of the examination has not been made public. If she is insane, it is probable that she will not be held for the alleged crime brought against her. She may be placed in an asylum for treatment.

DEWEY IN TROY

By Associated Press to The Sun.

TROY, N. Y., Oct. 10—Admiral Dewey arrived in the Union depot in this city at 11.12 today in the private cars Vivcory and Geneva with Dr. Webb's party. An immense crowd was in the depot and torpedoes were exploded along the tracks as the train approached the station. Deafening cheers were given him while hats, handkerchiefs and umbrellas, and canes were waived. When the train stopped women surrounded the rear end of the coach and clamored for an opportunity of shaking his hands, but he simply shook his head. Several letters were thrown at the admiral. No speech was made and the train was in the depot less than five minutes, leaving without any change.

THE OLYMPIA

DROPPED ANCHOR IN BOSTON HARBOR TODAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Oct. 10.—The Olympia dropped anchor in Boston harbor shortly before 1 o'clock tday. Captain Wellce of pilot boat No. 7 was the first boatswain to welcome the ship. He went aboard of Minots' light, and his boat fired a salute of three guns in honor of the famous cruiser.

About 33 hours were consumed in reaching Boston, the delay being caused by foggy weather.

The arrival caused a very slight demonstration. Small crowds had been waiting on the wharf-ends for some hours, and when the white vessel was seen the news spread, and some of the more favorable places for looking over the harbor were well lined with people. A few tugs appropriated steam enough for a succession of toots in various keys, to which the Olympia responded with a coarse roar of her whistle and dip of her flag at her peak.

The Olympia is to go out of commission here.

STOCK HOLDERS MEET

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CONCORD, N. H., Oct. 10—The annual meeting of the Concord & Montreal stockholders was held in this city this noon. On a stock vote, it was voted to increase the bond issue for building the Milford & Manchester railroad from $33,000 to $100,000.

The following board of directors was elected: Benjamin A. Kimball, Concord; Walter M. Parker, Manchester; John A. White, Concord; Alpha J. Pillsbury, Charles E. Tilton, Tilton; Charles E. Morrison, Boston; Lewis C. Pattee, Winchester, Mass.; Frank Jones, Portsmouth; Noah S. Clark, Manchester; Hiram N. Turner, St. Johnsbury, Vt.; George M. Kimball, Concord; Arthur H. Hale, Manchester.

From Yesterday's Late Editions.

AUTOPSY HELD

ON THE BODY OF THE MURDERED WOMAN.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon Dr. J. V. Meigs, Jr., reported the result of the postmortem examination. Dr. Meigs said: "The woman met her death unquestionably by violence having died from strangulation having been choked by some party or parties unknown. There was unquestionably an attempt made to criminally assault her. There was evidence of liquor found in the stomach and undoubtedly the woman had drunk liquor not very long before death."

SUSPECTS ARRESTED.

Early this morning the police notified all the surrounding cities and towns of the affair, asking the police there to be on the lookout for three men. Inspectors Laflamme and Allen arrested three Manchester men on Central street at an early hour, but let them go in a short time.

Officer Ganley this morning arrested a man giving his name as Patrick Whalen as a suspect. He found Whalen at the northern depot attempting to get out of town. When taken to the police station he wanted to know what he was in for, and told a long story about working in Holyoke and traveling about the country. When rigidly cross-examined, however, he broke down and stated that he was Patrick Whalen of Springfield, where his father Thomas Whalen, now lives. He then stated that he was released from state prison only yesterday, having served three years for burglary of a barber shop. When let out of prison yesterday, he was given a new suit, hat and overcoat and three dollars. Upon leaving prison he came to Lowell to carry a message for a prisoner named Langford Johnson to a friend of his who worked in Talbot mills in Billerica. He said he had the name of the Billerica man on a slip in his overcoat, but the overcoat was stolen from him during the night. He was on Middlesex street on his way to Billerica when he met a man who took him into a house where they had several drinks of whiskey. He got very drunk and does not remember anything more except that he walked down the railroad tracks. When he woke up this morning he was lying outside of a round house below the depot, his hat smashed and his overcoat gone. After he had told his story, Whalen was locked up as a suspicious person.

This noon Drs. Meigs, Johnson, Halloran and O'Connor held a post-mortem examination over the remains of the woman. The post-mortem was held in Brooks' warerooms and took up a couple of hours.

During the examination, Dr. Meigs announced that the death return would not be signed until after the body had been identified.

AT THE UNDERTAKERS.

All day a steady stream of people, principally women visited Undertaker Brooks' warerooms to look upon the face of the dead woman, nine-tenths of them taken there by morbid curiosity. One woman, after looking at the remains for fully five minutes went out and meeting a friend asked her in, saying: "I'll go in with you, I like to look at dead people."

About 3 o'clock Clara Hamilton, who thought that the murdered woman might be Annie Collins of Methuen, viewed the remains and stated positively that she did not know the dead woman, and that she was not Annie Collins.

WORKED IN MILL.

A woman named Sarah Mellen, residing on Willie street, saw the body and at once exclaimed: "Why, she worked with me in the Massachusetts last winter. I don't know her name, but I knew her face. She worked in the picker house for Overseer Fish. The latter was summoned by telephone and after a careful examination of the face said: "I can't identify her. She might have worked for a short time for me in the picker house last winter, but if she did she was not there long enough for me to get her face in my mind. I do not know her."

ANOTHER SUSPECT ARRESTED.

Officer Lemon this afternoon sent in Thomas Scully of Centralville for drunkenness and on suspicion. Scully was seen with a strange man in Centralville, but when the officer went after them this morning the stranger got away, but Scully was caught. When searched at the police station, Scully was found to have a hairpin in his pockets.

MR. BRIDGFORD'S STATEMENT.

Regarding the early stage of the quarrel, Mr. Bridgford said to a reporter:

"Some time between 11.30 and 11.45 I was awakened by a lot of loud talking. The window in my bedroom was open and I could hear a man's voice say: 'Come ahead. We've had a good time together tonight. Come on down with me. Haven't I used you right?'

"The woman protested, saying: 'I don't want to go down this way, come ahead with me.' Then the fellow began threatening her and from the manner in which he talked to her I feared he would kill her.

"He then started off toward Pawtucket street and after he had gone a few rods she ran after him and said: 'Don't leave me, dear.' She had on a sort of double cape and he was a rather short fellow.

"I looked out of the window after them and as I did I saw a tall fellow half hidden behind a tree. I said: 'Are you a cop?' He said: 'Yes. Sh-h-h. I'm watching them. Then I heard two or three other voices and saw two other fellows near him trying to hide. I then said: 'You're no cop. Now get out, you ---- -----, or I'll put a bullet into each of you.'

"They skedaddled and I saw that the tall fellow wore sort of grayish pants, and one of the other fellows wore a light-colored hat, a soft one, I think. They went down toward Pawtucket street, the same way the fellow went with the woman."

His effort to procure an officer is related above.

A POSSIBLE CLUE.

A barber employed in Glidden's barber shop states that he saw a woman answering the description of the victim in company with a man after the theater on Central street was emptied. They stood on Cenral street in front of Lane's boarding house and seemed to have an alternation, owing to which the woman appeared to be inclined to leave the man.

As she turned away, he called after her and his "Here!" attracted the attention of bystanders.

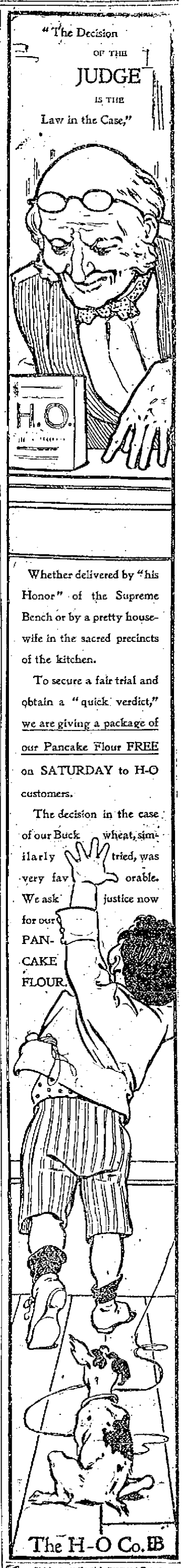
The barber says the man was of medium height with a mixed grayish moustache and wore a faded brown hat. He could identify him if he saw him again.

MATRIMONIAL.

At the parochial residence of St. Michael's parish yesterday afternoon, Mr James A. Shore and Miss Rose McCann were united in marriage by Rev. Richard Boland. The bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Lena Ewing, and the best man was Mr. Francis Shore, a brother of the groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Shore left early in the evening on a wedding tour. They will visit New York, Washington and other points of interest. They will be at home to their friends after November 1st, at 14 Methuen street.

The happy couple were the recipient of many beautiful gifts.



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AN ABLE LECTURE

Before the Mathew Temperence Institute

BY REV. FR. SHANLEY OF HARTFORD, CONN.

Final Observance of Fr. Mathew's Day

The anniversary of the birth of Rev. Theobald Mathew was observed last evening by a grand temperance rally in Associate hall.

Last Saturday, the people of our city saw several hundred Catholic young men, believers in total abstinence, parade the streets of our city. That parade was a part of the demonstration in honor of the apostle of temperance. Last evening the public meeting was another observance of the anniversay, and a successful one it was.

The members of the Mathews assembled at their rooms at 7.30, and headed by the Lowell cadet band marched to St. Peter's parochial residence. Here the speaker of the evening, Rev. Walter J. Shanley of St. John's cathedral, Hartford, Conn., the spiritual director of the Mathews, Rev. W. George Mullen, and the president, John A. McKenna, took seats in a carriage and were escorted down Gorham, to Central, to Merrimack street, to Associate hall. There was a large audience present when the meeting opened. On the platform, beside the speaker of the evening, the Rev. Fr. Mullen, and President McKenna, were Vice-President John Lyons, Edward F. Slattery, Thomas F. Lonergan, John J. Galvin, John J. Pindar, William Boyle and G. O'Dwyer.

The meeting was opened by the chairman, John A. McKenna.

President McKenna in opening the meeting, said:

"Tonight we meet to fittingly observe and commemorate the birth of the apostle of total abstinence, the Rev. Theobold Mathew. One who by his earnest and solicitous actions has done more for our people than any one we know. He possessed the courage, conviction and manliness to rise in opposition to the greatest social evil that confronted his generation, his people and society in general. The times and conditions of the people at the commencement of the present century called for a man to come forth who with solicitation and the precepts of moral suasion would reveal to the people the monstrous evil of intemperance, one who possessed indomitable energy and perserverance to arise from obscurity and use his manly attributes and qualifications for the amelioration and improvement of society.

Such a person arose in him whose memory and birth we celebrate tonight. And if we realize and can consider the obstacles which he had to overcome, the contention which was thrust in his pathway, the great change that the enforcement of his views would have upon the rules of society, then we may say that his undertaking was indeed a Herculean task.

He arose with the power, the ability and eloquence that the question demanded, and with the holy consolation of his religion and faith went forth to meet the enemy "in the name of God."

And how manfully he worked. Traveling over the English speaking world, he taught the people of many countries his views of the question with a persuasive eloquence that was instructive and convincing. He taught the inmates of penal institutions the happiness of refraining from intoxicants. He taught the members of our church that this question should be indissolubly connected with our faith. He taught undenominational gatherings that the doctrine of total abstinence was too broad in its purpose to be confined to any one sect or class of people. And what a blessing the infusion of these ideas has been for the people of all countries.

Three quarters of a century have passed away since his views were spread broadcast to the people, but in that space of time wonderful changes have taken place in relation to this question. Society at that time looked with favor upon intoxication, today she frowns upon it. At that time concerted action was unknown for the suppression of this vice, today millions of people in all parts of the civilized world are organized for the alleviation of this evil. This was admirably shown at a convention held in Canada a year ago in the interests of total abstinence. There were there assembled people representing organizations from Africa, with its burning sands; from Iceland, with its icebergs; Germany, Austria, Sweden, Italy and South America.

In this country we have tried in many ways to advance the principles of total abstinence as taught by Father Mathew. And to those who have devoted much of their time and thought to this work the controlling of the liquor traffic by legislative enactment has been a favorable means for the suppression of this vice. Annually in this state, the question is submitted to the voters for solution, they to decide whether the sale of intoxicants shall be legally carried on in their respective communities or not. Last December when this question was submitted to the voters of our city, they decided negatively, and after five months of no-license, while we cannot say that the enforcement of the law has exceeded our expectations, nevertheless, we cannot but recognize the faulty construction of the existing laws of our state, which govern the liquor traffic. Let us hope that we may have a continuation of no-license in our city so that all the people may see the benefits that such a measure will bring to our people and city; for it must be evident to our citizens that the benefits of no-license cannot be seen in such a short time as we have been experiencing it, but must receive a further trial in order to receive the blessings of the measure.

It gives me much pleasure and and enjoyment to preside over this gathering tonight, and also to introduce the speaker of the evening, the president of the Connecticut State Union, Rev. Walter J. Shanley of St. John's Cathedral, Hartford, Conn.

Rev. Fr. Shanley received a very cordial greeting when he arose to speak. From beginning to end, his audience was all attention. He is an orator of unquestioned ability; his presence is inspiring, his language eloquent and his delivery excellent. He spoke on the life and works of Fr. Mathew, and took ocasion to make a special appeal to the women to become interested in the total abstinence movement, pointing out that their influence would accomplish grand results. His remarks were frequently interrupted by applause. He said in part:

"This is the birthday of one of the greatest benefactors of the human race; a man who by his indomitable courage brought untold blessings to the people of his generation—Rev. Theobald Mathew. Almighty God bestows certain attributes on certain men to allow them to pursue their chosen work in behalf of mankind.

"Fr. Mathews was allotted gifts of an uncommon nature to aid him in his labors.

That he rightly exercised these gifts is attested by the phenomenal results of his work. He was born of Catholic parents. He was possessed of the grand spirit of benevolence, and through all his life and career this characteristic asserted itself.

He was a Christian, a Catholic, a priest.

Being called to the priesthood, he made his course at Kilkenny, he pursued his theological course at Maynooth and entered the Capuchin Order. He was ordained on Easter Saturday, 1814, and his first mission was in Kilkenny.

He was always looking out for the welfare of the poor. His mission in Kilkenny was of brief duration, and the greater portion of his time was spent in Cork.

During twenty years of his priesthood, he had spoken on temperance, and his sermons, grand and powerful, did not effect the results he desired. It was then he assumed the leadership of the great total abstinence movement. He had seen wives separated from their husbands; he had seen prosperous farmers reduced by liquor. He had seen men famed as legislators lose their place, their intellects blighted by intemparance. He saw the widespread evil effect of this drink habit, and he thought long of a method to overcome it all. Total abstinence from liquor was the only remedy he could see. He saw that opposition would arise on all sides, but he appealed for light, to the Father of all light. In April, 1838, he called a meeting of his parishioners to whom he had ministered for 20 years. He told them that he intended to preach total abstinence, for in it he saw the only salvation from the drink habit. He recited the opposition he would meet, but he said to his people, if we save but one soul, we will have accomplished a grand work. Taking a pen in his hand, he said, "I am about to sign my name in that great book—the book of total abstinence—and I hope you will folow suit. He signed the book and there originated the greatest total abstinence society the world ever knew. The society grew to 25,000 members; then to 250,000 in a short time.

Fr. Shanley detailed the enormous success he met in Ireland, Scotland and England in his total abstinence labors.

He recited his labors in America, where in 300 cities he administered the pledge to 500,00 people.

"When he returned to Ireland," said Fr. Shanley, "the illness that attacked him prevented him from performing active work. But wherever he moved, in whatever society he might be, he used his influence for the total abstinence movement. Even on his deathbed, when he was unable to speak a word, he had those about him repeat the well-known words of the pledge and gave them his dying benediction.

"Fr. Mathew is dead, but his spirit still lives. The lessons he taught are bearing fruit. Fr. Mathew pledged women as well as men. And in these days, it is well that women should interest themselves in the work. In the old Grecian and Roman nations women were respected when they were virtuous and loved justice. For 500 years divorce was unknown in old Pagan Rome.

But the day came when the matrons of these nations lost their love of justice. Time was when all nations were tributary to old Rome. But Rome fell. That great Rome fell, not from foreign entanglements, but from interior corruption. History may repeat itself; our nation may fall, not from foreign entanglements or state questions, but from internal corruption.

So long as women respect themselves they will be respected. Our women of the early days had good ideas on this drink question. They did not believe in women drinking. Now women supposed to be the cream of the cream, at public banquets, in the presence of men, drink intoxicants. The danger now is that this drink habit may be imitated by women not in this high grade of society.

It is well, therefore that women are interested in this movement.

It is well that you celebrate the birth day of the Rev. Fr. Mathew. It is well that you celebrate the 50th anniversary of his visit to this country. Let his spirit be yours; his was the spirit of Christian charity. It was charity that carried him through his work. It was charity that accomplished his triumph. Let charity be your spirit toward your fellow man.

INSANE MAJOR.

Change of Food Cured Him.

What a determined and intelligent wife can accomplish is well shown in the experience of a certain retired major of the civil war and his estimable wife. For obvious reasons, the name and exact address of the major is withheld but the facts are given by his cousin, a well known lady of Marion, Ohio.

Without apparent cause but coming on gradually, the major lost his mind, and some of the most eminent specialists in brain and nervous diseases stated that he would never recover, strongly recommending the wife to place him in an asylum, although confident he would live only a few months.

Being a woman of much strength of character she refused to incarcerate him, but on the contrary took him to a little cottage along the shores of a little lake for the summer and devoted herself entirely to the case, studied him carefully and especially applied herself to the preparation of food and drink, gradually eliminating what was harmful and substituting nutritious and properly selected articles, with the startling result that in about six months he was an absolutely sane man and in a year was healthier than he had ever been in his life.

She recites that the chief agency in his return to health was Postum Cereal Food Coffee, for from the moment she began using that article in place of coffee, he improved in a marked degree. At one time she left off Postum and allowed him to use ordinary coffee and he had a quick and serious backset. Returning to Postum he improved. Now they use nothing else and are most enthusiastic in their faith in its health-giving qualities and naturally make many converts among their friends.

The relater adds: "At first we thought Postum was flat and tasteless but after following the directions exactly and boiling it twenty minutes, we secured a richness equal to the best Mocha and Java and enjoy it greatly. I have lost that heavy, depressed feeling that obtained formerly and my children are growing fat on Postum."

The lady requests that her name be omitted from publication. The name, however, will be given by letter upon application to the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., at Battle Creek, Mich.

SUPPER AND SALE

AND ENTERTAINMENT HELD BY PURITAN CHAPTER, O. E. S.

The supper, sale and entertainment last night in Odd Fellows' temple by Puritan chapter, Order of the Eastern Star was largely attended.

Previous to the entertainment and sale a regular business meeting was held in an adjoining room. One application for membership was received and arrangements were made for the annual visitation of district officers upon their annual tour of inspection. Mrs. George F. Offut was chairman of the evening and the committee on supper were Mrs. Benjamin Dunklee, chairman, Mrs. Charles Priestley, Mrs. Mary MacDonald, Mrs. George W. Jockow, Mrs. Binnington. The waitresses were Misses Lizzie Hart, Jessie Farris, Inez Jones, Mamie Barris, Eva Whitney, Queena Briminogion.

Fancy table—Miss Alice Williams and Miss Sylvia Symonds.

Apron table Mrs. E. B. Symonds and Mrs. Killpatrick.

A lace handkerchief, made by Mrs. E. B. Symonds was drawn by A. C. Persons. A cake containing 151 raisins made by Sister Mrs. Mary McDonald was drawn by Mrs. E. B. Symonds and Miss Beatrice Hibbard. A silk sofa pillow made by Mrs. Whitney of Nashua, N. H., was drawn by John C. Wilson.

Two visitors of the order from Whitinsville, Mrs. Adams and Mrs. H G. Reynolds were present.

The affair was a financial as well as a social success. The fancy and apron tables disposed of nearly all their articles.

The supper was enjoyed by all as well as the following program: Cornet solos Master James Bell; vocal solos, Miss Sadie Pierce and Mr. James Donnelly; readings, Miss Jessie Lewis; solo, Mr. Harry

SKETCH OF THE SPOT ON PAWTUCKET STREET WHERE THE MURDER WAS COMMITTED. THE STAR SHOWS WHERE THE HEAD RESTED WITH THE FEET EXTENDED TOWARD THE STREET.

IN POLICE COURT

But Few Drunks Arraigned This Morning

LARCENY CASE PLACED ON FILE

Several Cases Were Again Continued

There were four drunks arraigned before Judge Hadley in the police court this morning.

Two simple offenders were released by the court.

It was Thomas Scully's third offense within a year and he was sent to the state farm.

The other drunk was Minnie B. Kennedy, who received a sentence of three months to the workhouse.

The case of Edward W. Jewett charged with the larceny of $1 from Royal S. Whitney, was placed on file, the defendant paying the costs of court.

Ambrose Bertrand, charged with being a stubborn child, was continued till November 11. This case has already been continued several times.

Manry Kouka, charged with assault and battery, was held in $100 for trial tomorrow.

The continued case of Henry St. George Martin Hanville and Murcell Fafford, jointly charged with illegal keeping of liquor, was again put over, this time till October 18.

Benjamin Bernstein was charged with fraudulently concealing property. He had previously pleaded not guilty and was defended by D. J. Donahue, Esq. Lawyer Haskell appeared for the government.

It was alleged that Bernstein procured some furniture of John N. Carter & Co., of Middlesex street. Bernstein did not pay for the furniture at once but agreed to pay $1 a week. It appears that the defendant had the furniture but a short time when he broke up house keeping and went to Lawrence where he procured employment. He did no remove the furniture, however. Instead he stored it away in a friend's house.

When Mr. Carter learned that the defendant had left town, he proceeded to find the furniture and was at length successful, but only as far as finding it; for the man with whom the furniture was stored refused to give it up to Carter, without Bernstein's consent. The defendant was subsequently seen by Mr. Carter, but he refused to give up the furniture, to which he claimed Mr. Carter had no right.

It was in consequence of this refusal that Mr. Carter had the defendant arrested.

The court found Bernstein guilty of the charge preferred and imposed a fine of $20. An appeal was taken and the court ordered Bernstein held in $300 for the superior court.

MASTIN CASE

ENDED BY A DECREE OF FEDERAL COURT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 11.—By a decree in the federal court today, the noted Mastin case which has dragged along in the federal court for five years was ended.

The two Mastin brothers, in partnership in the banking firm of John J. Mastin & Co. failed in 1873, catching many working men and women. In 1889, John J. Mastin died and his wife, Julia, became the sole owner of the estate. In 1894 she brought suit against her brother-in-law, Thomas H. Mastin, for a settlement of the estate, claiming that he was using her property improperly. In July, 1894, a receiver for the estate was appointed, claims against the estate at that time aggregating $1,200,000.

The decree today, dissolving the partnership and ending the receivership, orders Thomas H. Mastin to pay Julia Mastin $31,099 and divides the estate of John J. Mastin equally between them. This estate valued at several millions, consists of a vast amount of real estate in Kansas City and vicinity and mining claims in Colorado.

BOWLING SEASON

The bowling season is now on. Last night the fall bowling tournament began at the Wamesit alleys and tonight the season at Les Miserables alleys begins with a match between the young Fellows and the Belvideres.

The game at the Wamesit alleys between the Home club and the Wamesits, the first in a schedule of 30 games that will cover a period of ten weeks, resulted as follows:

WAMESITS.

Brainard	147	157	174	478
McCormack	179	137	162	479
Dearth	150	139	161	452
Merrill	149	115	186	450
Gregory	157	156	167	510
Totals	783	784	852	2369

HOME CLUB.

Gale	88	152	99	339
Crawford	118	133	147	398
Farrell	156	130	133	429
Wiley	142	123	132	397
McCurdy	157	141	132	430
Totals	661	679	674	1994

TAKEN ILL.

Mr. William P. Brazer was taken ill in his store this morning and was removed to his home.

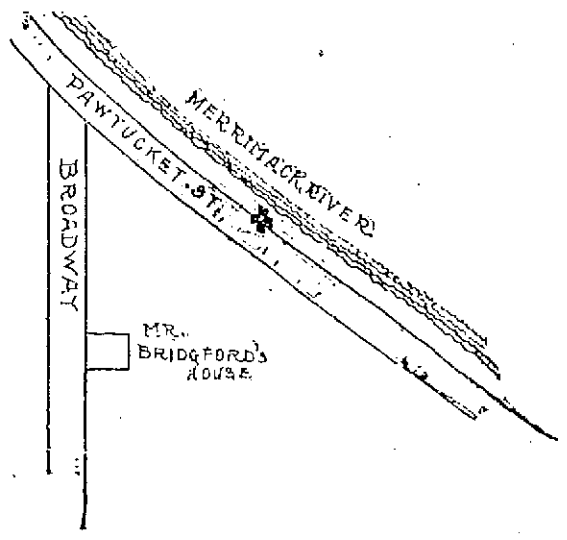

DIAGRAM OF THE JUNCTION OF BROADWAY AND PAWTUCKET STREETS, THE STAR SHOWING WHERE THE BODY WAS FOUND.

THE QUESTIONS

For Candidates For Annopolis Naval Examination

EXAMINATION AT NEW BEDFORD RECENTLY

Of Interest to Local Aspirants for Cadetship

The questions which are appended comprised the examination of the candidates for appointment to a cadetship at the United States naval academy at Annapolis, which was held in New Bedford last Saturday. The papers differ but little from those on similar subjects which are given as tests to applicants for entrance into colleges. The questions are published below for the benefit of future local aspirants for a cadetship.

Questions were asked on four subjects, namely, arithmetic, geography, United States history and English grammar, as follows:

UNITED STATES HISTORY.

1. What is the highest position in the United States navy? Name two men who have held this position. Give a short account of each.
2. When did the civil war begin? When did it end? What states seceded?
3. What effect upon slavery in the United States had the Dred Scott decision? The emancipation proclamation?
4. What is the Monroe doctrine?
5. What is a party platform? A census? A caucus? A veto? A writ of habeaus corpus?
6. Write as many facts as you can about Thomas Jefferson.
7. Write about John Paul Jones.
8. Name two important events on the water that took place during the civil war and give an account of each.
9. Write about Dr. Whitman and Oregon.
10. Write about Gettysburg. Where is it?

ENGLISH GRAMMAR.

1. (a) Write a sentence containing a verb in the active voice. Change the verb in the passive voice without changing the meaning of the sentence. (b) How do the two voices differ in use? How is the passive voice formed?
2. Give mode, tense, number and person of the verbs in capitals in the following sentences:

The man who SHOULD BE here is gone. The men who WERE here are gone. The flowers soon withered that WERE HUNG on the walls. He that OFFERS thee a gift is your friend. It is I who AM SPEAKING. It was you who SHOULD HAVE SPOKEN. Some children GO barefooted. Then ye ARE only five. GIVE me your hand. He and I MAY HAVE BEEN hungry.

3. Parse the words capitalized in the following sentences: He FOUND WHAT he was looking for. He THAT HATH ears LET him HEAR. WHAT is stronger than the lion? SINCE my country calls me I obey. THOUGH he SLAY me, YET will I trust him.

"I sit beneath the elm's protecting shadow,
Whose graceful form
Shelters from sunshine warm;
While far around in the heated meadows,
The busy insects swarm."

4. (a). Parse each of the verbs in the selection. (b) Make a list of the adjectives and tell what each limits.
5. (a) Tell fully about the use of each of the prepositions in the selection. (b) Parse each of the pronouns.

ARITHMETIC.

Note.—All problems must be worked out in full. The examiners wish to see every figure of the work.

1. Divide 68 by 200; by .02; by 300; by .0002 and give the sum of the quotients.
2. How many square feet in the walls of a room 25 feet long, 18 feet 6 inches wide and 8 feet 6 inches high?
3. From a pile of wood 20 feet long, 4 feet wide and 8 feet high, 2¾ cords have been sold. What is the value of the remainder at $5.75 per cord?
4. What per cent. is gained or lost in buying goods at $1,600 and selling them for $1,750 after keeping them a year, allowing $100 for expenses and reckoning interest at 4½ per cent.?
5. Find the square root of 199,810.
6. What is a common fraction? What does each of the terms show? How do you change a common to a decimal fraction? How do you change a decimal to a common fraction?
7. Write and receipt a bill against James C. Crombie for 1,250 pounds of coal at $7.25 a ton.
8. A drover bought 75 cows at $24½ a head; if 9 of them were killed by accident how much a head must he get for the rest in order to gain 20 per cent?
9. Divide the greatest common divisor of 210 and 1341 by the least common multiple of 7, 21, 28 and 56, and express the quotient decimally.
10. A clock loses 33 minutes a day. It is set exactly right at noon. When the indicated tome by this clock is 10 p. m. of the same day, what is the correct time? Give your reasoning.

GEOGRAPHY.

1. Locate Manila, Santiago, Luzon, Hawaii, Ladrone Islands.
2. Where are the Bermudas? To what country do they belong? The Bahamas. To what country do they belong?
3. Name ten important cities in the United States east of Buffalo. Arrange these names according to the size of the beginning with the largest.
4. Name the five states of the United States that are largest in area. Give them in order of size, beginning with the largest.
5. Name in order, beginning at the north, all the states that border on the Atlantic Ocean, and give the capital of each.
6. Where is the Suez canal? The Hoosac tunnel? The Yosemite? Cincinnati? Yokohama?
7. Through what waters did Admiral Dewey pass on his voyage back to the United States? Name some of the places at which he stopped.
8. What are some of the most important coal fields of the United States? What is hydraulic mining?
9. Locate Lincoln, Duluth, Denver, Ceylon, Formosa.
10. Give the width of the zones in degrees, and tell what determines the width of the zones.

DRACUT CENTRE

Mrs. Calvin Richardson has returned from her vacation and is much improved in health. Miss Annie Richardson is visiting friends in New Hampshire, where she has joined a chestnutting party.

The Rev. Mr. Kelley and family have recently moved into the Kimball house at the Centre.

Mrs. Truman Hill has returned from her long vacation at her old home in New York state.

There was a well attended Christian Endeavor meeting Sunday evening. Subject "Work where Christ tells you to." Leader, Miss Bertha Maynard. Mrs. F. L. Kelly was chosen a delegate to the state convention at Springfield.

There will be a special meeting of the Shiloh club at Mrs. Bert Smithson's Friday evening.

The Ladies' Aid society will hold a harvest supper in the vestry Wednesday evening.

Mr. Fred A. Robinson of Dover, N. H., has been visiting Mrs. Bert Smithson for the past week.

The Christian Endeavor social which was to be held Monday evening was postponed on account of the stormy weather until Wednesday evening, Oct. 18, at 8 o'clock. It will take the form of a box party.

CAPTAIN GEARY DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—General Otis has cabled the war department announcing the death of Captain Woodbridge Geary, 13th infantry. He died at 3 o'clock this morning at San Francisco de Malabon from gunshot wounds received in a reconnoissance toward Buena Vista yesterday.

TAGGART ELECTED MAYOR.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 11—Unofficial returns this morning show that Thomas Taggart is re-elected mayor by plurality of from 200 to 300. Charles A. Bookwalter, the republican candidate, announces that he will contest Taggart's election on the ground of fraud. The council and other city officials are still in doubt.

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BROKE THE TIE

The Bostons Won From the Philadelphias

LEWIS WAS IN FINE FORM

The Phillies Could Not Hit Him

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 10.—The champions broke the tie with the Phillies for second place yesterday and incidentally whitewashed the Quakers.

The last local game of the season drew out nearly 7500 enthusiasts who were disgusted at the work of the Phillies when contrasted with that of the Bostons.

It was Lewis against Donahue and though the former was hit slightly harder than the latter, it was when quicker runners were on bases that Lewis showed up best. He had speed to burn, and invariably pulled his team through safely whenever it looked promising for the Phillies to score.

Donahue pitched well, too, but his clever work could not offset the sloppy work of Dolan or the errors of Cross and McFarlan, errors that figured very largely in the champions' run getting.

The fielding of Boston was gilt-edged, Tenney making a great catch of Child's liner and doubling up Delehanty just when it looked as though the Quakers were going to have a batting rally. Duffy also made several nice catches, and Long and Lowe made good stops.

The score by innings:

Boston	2	1	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	6

Earned runs—Boston 2. Two-base hits—Tenney, Stahl. Three-base hits—Delehanty, Dolan. Home run—Long. Sacrifice hits—Long 2. Stolen bases—Flick, Duffy. Left on bases—Boston 5, Philadelphia 8. Struck out—By Lewis 5, by Donohue 2. Double plays—Long, Lowe and Tenney; Tenney (unassisted). First base on errors—Boston 4. First base on balls—Off Donohue 2, off Bernhard 1. Umpires—Emslie and Dwyer. Time—1h. 55m.

The other games resulted as follows:

At Brooklyn—New York 5, Brooklyn 8.

At Baltimore—Baltimore 5, Washington 5, (six innings.)

The St. Louis Cincinnati game was postponed on account of rain.

LOCKS AND CANALS

WILL RAISE FLASHBOARDS AT PAWTUCKET FALLS.

The annual meeting of the Pennichuck Water Works was held at the office of the company at Nashua, N. H., at 10 o'clock Monday forenoon.

On motion of G. F. Andrews the president was authorized to execute a deed to the proprietors of the locks and canals on the Merrimack river, conveying the right to put and maintain upon their dam at Lowell flashboards two feet higher than the present level.

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Dennis Murphy, 18 Appleton St.

DECISIVE BATTLE

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS IN VENEZUELA PROVE FRUITLESS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The state department has received the following cablegram from the U. S. minister to Venezuela announcing the failure of the peace negotiations that have been in progress for the last five days between the government and the insurgents:

"Caracas, Oct. 10, 1899.

"Secretary of State, Washington:

"Negotiations suspended today. Venezuelan forces will be advanced. A decisive battle fully expected this week. Puerto Cabello quiet.

(Signed) "Loomis."

GOING TO EUROPE.

The following Lowell people are booked through Murphy's steamship agency to sail from Boston today on the steamer Canada for Queenstown and Liverpool: Mr. John Dolan, Richard Heap, Daniel Stevenson, Miss Maggie Murray, Mrs. Rachel McDermott and Mrs. Joseph Scholefield.

WANTED—A situation, as a general housekeeper or housework of any kind in small family. Address "B." Sun office.

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THE MAN WHO DARED.

At the ratification meeting of the Middlesex republican club immediately after the republican state convention, Attorney General Knowlton took occasion to answer all the criticisms hurled against him on account of his decision that an unlicensed lireman has a right under the law to work under the direction of a licensed lireman. Although Judge McDonough of Fall River decided otherwise, the attorney general held to his opinion and stated that to corporation, no political party and no power of any kind could induce him to give a legal opinion contrary to his conviction as to the true interpretation of the law. He intended to live and to act he said so that when he dies his friends can find no epitaph more appropriate than "The man who dared." No doubt this suggestion will be remembered by his friends after he dies and whether deserved or not, place the above upon his tombstone; that is, if he has one; and plenty of better and more deserving men are nowadays buried and forgotten without any such luxury as a tombstone. Should the attorney general, however bequeathe the necessary amount for this purpose, no doubt it would be duly expended and whatever inscription desired would be duly placed thereon at the usual rates. We do not think that the attorney general will ever be regarded as a public benefactor notwithstanding the fact that he is a very excellent office holder.

THE MURDER.

The murder committed in this city yesterday morning is one which while not deliberately planned was nevertheless one of the most foul that can be imagined. What business had the woman out at such an hour of the night is known; it might be legitimate or it might not; but the fact that she was out was no justification for an assault upon her, much less a murder. The action of Officer Dunlavey in refusing to go to the scene when notified of the murder is reprehensible in the highest degree unless he was complying with the rules of the department in refusing to go. The fact that he has been dismissed indicates otherwise. Should the police fail to find any clue to the murderers this refusal of Officer Dunlavey to go to the call of Mr. Bridgford will take a more serious aspect. The murder, like some of the other crimes which shocked the community within the past year, indicates that there are some dangerous characters in the city which only the strictest vigilance of the police can drive out. It is to be hoped that Supt. Davis will succeed in capturing the guilty parties before they leave the city.

England sent her ultimatum to the Boers some time ago and now the Boers have sent their ultimatum to England. They demand that England shall withdraw all the troops landed in South Africa since the Bloemfontein conference, but they might as well ask England to clear out of South Africa altogether.

Mark Hanna says it is an insult to Admiral Dewey to mention his name so often in connection with the presidency but if he had not on hand the contract of re-electing President McKinley, he would take a different view of the matter. The ordinary citizen will be hard to convince that any man can be insulted by the mention of his name for the highest office in this republic.

Charles R. Saunders of Boston is said to be gaining ground on Representative Myers in the speakership contest. The latter hopes to win by getting Willard Howland, the man who managed Mr. Bates' campaign to steer him into the speaker's chair. But no management, however efficient, can force the representatives to elevate Myers to the speakership.

Our troops in the Philippines are taking new towns but as soon as they vacate, the natives will return.

Again the breezes failed yesterday, and the judges wisely declared the race off early in the day rather than run the risk of a fourth fluke. It seems that the harbor selected for the contest is not as breezy as many others along the coast. Why not try Marblehead or Newport, R. I.?

The insanity plea is being used in the case of John Roberts, the Lawrence murderer. As one of the experts to examine Roberts examined Joe Kelley, the New Hampshire murderer, and found him mentally unsound, it is not improbable that they will find germs of insanity in Mr. Roberts.

The colleges have their degrees ready to confer upon Admiral Dewey. While the admiral is loaded down with genuine honors, he is not going out of his way to pick up such empty bubbles as the titles the colleges confer for advertising purposes.

An advisory bureau is to be established in the navy department and Admiral Dewey is to be there to advise the secretary of the navy. Better have it in the White House and let Dewey advise the president.

If ever the jingoists of this country organize they should make Congressman Knox their president, inasmuch as he leaps the highest and shouts the loudest when proclaiming our right and our ability to shoot the Filipinos.

President McKinley is in full accord with the movement to purchase for Admiral Dewey a splendid residence; but he does not want him to be made the head of the White House.

Again Lowell is shocked by one of the foulest tragedies that ever occurred within her borders. It will be a blot upon the reputation of our police force if the culprits escape.

There will be a great rush to Boston to see Admiral Dewey. It will be easy to see him Saturday in the parade, but if it be a holiday the streets will be badly crowded.

It is now probable that Admiral Schley will also have a home as a gift from the American people.

BASE BALL.

Brooklyn cannot excel the record of the Bostons for '98.

McGinnity struck out seven of the Washingtons Saturday—a great performance.

Billy Robinson of the Baltimores has played in more games than any league catcher.

Pittsburg's winning of four straight victories in St. Louis was one of the finest performances of the season.

In Saturday's game with the New Yorks at Brooklyn, New York had three men on bases and none out in the third inning and could not score.

McGraw has been assessed more dollars in fines than any other player in the league. Parenthetically, it may be said that he does not have to pay his fines, so what's the use?

The chances are that all the men most interested will deny the truth of the assertion that the diplomatic Brush has practically parted company with Hart and Robinson and cast his fortunes with the Freedman faction. But every word of it is true.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

President Ban Johnson of the Western league has entered an indignant denial of the story that President Young of the National league was to be shelved and Johnson placed in his stead. He says he would not desert the Western league; that no offer has ever been made, and that he has not heard of such a proposition.

The deciding game between teams of the Congress Hall Outing club was played Sunday near Wellesley, and "Bobby" Wheelock's team beat "Dupee" Shaw's aggregation 5 runs to 4. Shaw pitched nicely, and was well supported by Catcher Meligan, but the fates were against him. Sam Maxwell did the catching for the winners.

Anson says: "The Spaldings and Harts thought they had finished me when they crowded me out of the game. But they failed. They really did me a kindness. I am making more money than I ever did, and I have no one to yell at me. There is plenty of time for me to have a club and I am going to have one. The league may talk about fighting us, but I will bet that we hardly get a start before they will be glad to reconsider us. I am willing to risk the popularity of my club against the Chicago club."

The Chicago Inter-Ocean says of the pitching wonder of the day, Waddell of Louisville: "The 'rube' is a tall, deep-chested, long-armed country boy, who during his career on the village green picked up a varied assortment of curves, drops and benders. In addition to this he has as good an arm and almost as much speed as Amos Rusie. For a youngster he has fair control, and if he can only gain control of his rather exuberant spirits and use his head he will undoubtedly prove the pitching find of the year."

Astounding things are promised before another baseball league season sets in. Following closely upon the intelligence of the love feast, in which Messrs. Soden, Freedman and Brush participated, comes the intelligence that Nick Young, who has been an official ever since there was a representative base ball organization, is to be decapitated. The Chicago Inter-Ocean of Thursday last had the following on the matter:

"Citizen Nicholas Young's official days as president of the National league are numbered. The worthy magnates who control the premier base ball organization have at last realized that the venerable Mr. Young is not the man to lead the proposed base ball revival, and have decided to make a change.

"The deposing of Nick Young and the selection of his successor furnished one of the topics for discussion at the recent after-dinner conference, or to be exact, 'love feast,' held at the Waldorf-Astoria, and in which the good Mr. Brush of Cincinnati, the bad Mr. Freedman of Gotham, and the puritanical Mr. Soden of Boston participated. Men who are familiar with the inside workings of National league politics know that Freedman does not like President Young's methods of conducting the business of the league. Freedman has repeatedly said that Young was nothing more or less than a figure-head. He has criticised Uncle Nick's appointments and his rather weak management of umpires. Less than six months ago he made the statement that the best way to begin to reorganize the league was to elect a new president. Word comes from New York that Brush and Soden, in their eagerness to get Freedman into line, not only granted his demand that Young be removed, but went so far as to discuss with Freedman the strong and weak points of the two men who have been suggested as Young's successors. Just what decision, if any, was reached it is difficult to say, but this much is certain. At the coming meeting of the league Young will be asked to resign and a new president will be elected. The chances are more than even that a western man will be offered the position."

So the worthy head of the league is to be immolated. It is well known that Freedman has no love for him. President Soden had his confidence in the head of the league shaken when the Sunday games were filched from Louisville at the adjourned schedule meeting, and President Young neglected to tip off his Boston friend as to what was going on. It will be no easy matter to provide an official as thoroughly competent, painstaking, honest and popular as Mr. Young. His greatest fault is that he has striven to please everybody.

The last week of the base ball season began Monday and local lovers of the game will draw a long breath of relief, says the New York Journal. Nothing could be more disgraceful than the showing made by the New York players, who are Giants only in their ability to make errors and lose games.

The majority of their exhibitions have been a burlesque on the national game—a comedy of errors.

During the winter months there will be many sensations in the base ball world and important changes made in the make-up of several teams.

One that promises to be the most sensational and which is being freely talked about in Boston is the transfer to this city of the entire Boston team as it stands now and the removal to the Hub of the Giants.

Manager Selee, of the Bostons, is of the opinion that the Giants, under proper management and with two or three additions, can be made a one, two, three winner.

EXAMINING ROBERTS

ALLEGED LAWRENCE MURDERER SAID TO BE INSANE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LAWRENCE, Oct. 11.—John Roberts, the alleged murderer of Marie Fletcher, who is awaiting trial, is to be examined this week in regard to his sanity.

The counsel for the defendant, Lawyers William J. Bradley and Fred T. Sherman, drew up a petition which was presented at the superior court last Thursday, asking that they be permitted to employ experts to inquire into the mental condition of the defendant and ascertain whether or not he was sane.

After due consideration the court granted the request, and Friday defendant counsel went to Boston and procured the services of two eminent physicians, and it is intimated the examination will take place Tuesday.

It is understood one of the experts who will examine Roberts was engaged in the famous Kelley murder case in New Hampshire some time ago.

CRISP GOSSIP.

A legal contest which is promised in Fall River presents some interesting features, says the Brockton Times. Ann Pierce and her granddaughter, Mary Coop, have been living in the same tenement on North Main street, in a house which is owned by Mrs. Pierce. They had trouble over rent money and Mrs. Coop moved out, taking all her furniture except her piano. When she returned for the instrument a day or two later she found that the instrument had been hacked to pieces and thrown into the back yard. Most of the neighbors living in the immediate vicinity of the Pierce house say that at a late hour at night they were aroused from their slumbers by such sounds as never before came from a piano, and it was not surprising when it was learned that the piano in question was being played with an axe in an angry woman's hands. When the axe severed the strings of the lower register there arose sounds not unlike heavy artillery in action, while the severing of the upper register strings gave forth sounds much like the discharge of a rapid fire gun; and there were other sounds.

PUBLIC MONEY

IN CUBA SAID TO BE UNSAFE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 11.—Reports from Cuba show that millions of dollars of public money in the hands of pay officers has had inadequate protection. Major Dodge, chief paymaster of Havana, says in a report:

"One of the annoyances connected with duty in this division has been the need of a proper depository for public funds. Often there has been nearly a million dollars on hand held under guard in insecure field safes for months at a time. These safes, too, or at least one pattern of them were unsuited for the purpose and are less secure than an ordinary wooden box. One paymaster, upon receiving his chest from the express company, found it open, the screws attaching the bolt to the lock having fallen out and the bolts themselves had dropped back of their own weight. There was about $15,000 in the safe at this time."

Major Dodge says there has been considerable complaint against New York checks which are subject to discount throughout the island. Officers and discharged men have been mulcted of considerable portions of their pay on this account. There has been no way of obviating the trouble. He urges this as additional reason for a government depository.

FORBIDEN BY LAW

JEWELRY WORKERS AT ATTLEBORO WISH TO DO MORE WORK BUT CANNOT.

The state police inspectors have come out with the statement that the first manufacturing jeweler in Attleboro, North Attleboro, Plainville, Falls Village or in any other jewelry making centre caught violating the labor laws of the state will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

This plain statement was due to the fact that manufacturers had signed a petition for the exemption of manufacturing jewelers from the operations of the law. The Attleboro manufacturers have an idea the law was framed for mill centres and was not intended to include jewelry making localities, where overtime work has not been compelled until recently.

The officers of the state police hearing that a boom had struck Attleboro advanced upon the town with their badges of authority and proceeded to give orders. The persistency with which the officers have taken the matter in hand will drive many manufacturers to hire a double force, one for day work and another for night. Many day hands want to work while the rush is on, but they cannot work over 58 hours each week. If they do the law will be upon them with both hands.

The situation has caused much comment in Attleboro as to the laws on the state's books and their workings.

SERIES OF SOCIALS.

The Mutual club a well known literary organization, held another of their series of socials Tuesday night at the home of Mr. Charles N. Bagley, 247 Gorham street, their president, and a good time was enjoyed by all. The club consists of 12 members but there were many friends of the members present also. A fine supper was served and several good readings were given. The D. L. Page Co. catered.

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THE SOCIALISTS

Held Interesting Conference at Hanover

THEY COMPLAIN OF THE LAWS

Delegates From Five European Countries

By Associated Press to The Sun.

HANOVER, Oct. 11.—The tenth annual Socialist conference since the repeal of the socialist laws opened yesterday morning in the Ballhof, which is tastefully decorated with laurel wreaths, red banners and the escutcheons of various German cities. In the centre, grouped amid ferns and flowers, around an allegorical figure of liberty, are busts of Ferdinand Lassalle, the originator of the social-democratic movement in Germany; of Karl Marx, the chief of International socialism, and of Engels. Places are provided for the police commissioners and policemen who attend the proceedings on behalf of the government. Among those in attendance are representatives of Holland, Sweden, Switzerland and Austria, the Austrian delegates including Dr. Adler, who, towards the end of this month, must enter upon a term of four weeks' imprisonment to which he was recently sentenced.

The delegates sit at tables ranged along the whole length of the hall. The scene presents rather the appearance of students at a symposium than of an assembly of workingmen representing at least one-fourth of the population of Germany.

Herr Singer was unanimously elected president. After the formal proceedings an animated discussion arose over the question whether the committee had acted in the interests of socialism in excluding from the "List of Martyrs" published in the Vorwaerts, the socialist organ, the laborers condemned for taking part in the Dresden riots. A Saxon delegate hotly denounced the action of the committee and was repeatedly called to order. The question was shelved by a decision that the matter had been adequately threshed out.

The Dresden, Mecklenburg, Stuttgart and Munich delegates then moved that an interpellation be submitted to the Reichstag regarding the police prohibition of the dissemination of pamphlets containing electioneering arguments in streets and public places, and also regarding the action of the distribution of socialist literature on Sunday, because of which prohibition many socialists have been fined for privately distributing their party's organs.

Herr Bebel contended that an interpellation was impossible in the absence of specific data. The motion was rejected.

Herr Liebknecht exhorted the socialists to take as active a share as possible in the international socialist congress to be held in Paris in 1900.

This was approved and the conference adjourned.

BOXING GOSSIP.

If Jim Jeffries is defeated in the coming championship battle with Tom Sharkey at Coney Island, October 27th, it will not be through lack of training or over confidence. Never before did a champion train more conscientiously for an encounter than the big Californian is doing for his bout with the sailor.

While the champion expects to defeat Sharkey in the same decisive manner that he did Robert Fitzsimmons, when he won his present title, he does not intend to take any chances. The sole aim of the Californian at the present time is the improvement of his condition. He believes if he enters the ring in good physical form the result of the bout will be assured.

Although deeply interested in his work, Jeffries always finds time to joke or chat with his friends, but fight is never discussed.

Jeffries goes through his daily routine schedule at Asbury park like a school boy and he seems to enjoy it. He regards his work as a pleasure, saying it is a grand pastime for one who is not averse to taking a little strong exercise. He is well satisfied with the result of his preparatory work and on Monday he will begin his final training.

Tommy Ryan is expected to be on hand then, and instead of Jeffries taking a long run in the afternoon Ryan will be asked to go several rounds with him.

Ryan, it will be remembered, assisted Jeffries in his fight with Fitzsimmons and taught the champion many fine points of the game.

Another addition to the Jeffries camp is Ernest Roeber, the champion wrestler. Roeber wrestled with the champion yesterday and will, in the future, spar a few rounds with him each day, so as to give him strength in the clinches and breakaways, as Jeffries knows he is going against one who uses rough tactics throughout a contest.

Jeffries's careful preparation is evidence that he does not underestimate Sharkey and expects a hard battle.

This week the training schedule is changed, the road runs taking place in the morning, while the afternoon will be devoted to gymnasium work.

Tom Sharkey is rapidly getting into shape for his bout with the champion. He has introduced several novelties to relieve the monotony of training camp life and has arranged to vary his schedule from day to day.

As Sharkey has been in active training for some time he has decided to take it easy for another week, when he will start to harden himself a little. He is already down to weight, and would, no doubt, be prepared to enter the ring at short notice if necessary.

Instead of spending so much time in running, Sharkey has had his bicycle sent down to New Dorp and can be seen any fine morning scorching along the shore road of Staten Island. He believes wheeling helps to relieve the mind during the monotony of training, but he also realizes cycling has its dangers and that he must be very careful to guard against an accident that might diminish his chance of victory.

It is said that Robert Armstrong, Sharkey's sparring partner, is seriously thinking of getting out of the sailor's camp. The going has been too fast for the big negro, and unless Sharkey lets up a little in the fury of his attacks his chocolate-colored assistant will be obliged to quit.

Peter Maher has been matched to fight "Big Ed." Dunkhorst in a ten-round bout at the Monarch A. C. of Syracuse, Oct. 23d. On paper Maher looks an easy winner. Dunkhorst never showed any championship form, but he has shown a remarkable ability to take an awful punching. He can punch a bit himself, too, and on this account not a few expect him to put up an interesting argument with Maher. The latter has lost none of the ability that brought him into prominence as a fighter. He can punch as hard, if not harder than any man in the ring. Syracuse sports are of the opinion, however, that he won't be able to hurt Dunkhorst. Charlie White will referee the bout.

Martin Flaherty is again in fighting form and is going to make the best of the lightweights hustle for honors this winter. The terrific thrashing he administered to Jack Downey and his victory over Tommy Hogan at St. Louis Monday night stamps him as one of the best lightweights in the country.

Flaherty is now a full-fledged lightweight and a worker, too. He scales the lightweight limit easily and if his two last fights are to be taken as criterions he is fighting better than he ever did as a featherweight.

The goal of Flaherty's ambition now is to win the championship. He is now in line to meet Frank Erne, the present holder of the title, but the only champion, it seems, is not very anxious of trying conclusions with the Spindle City lad again. The Lowell boy, as is well known, is the only fighter in the game who has ever conquered the champion and he did the trick in polished style, too. If a match between Flaherty and Erne was made for the lightweight championship of the world, it would prove a great battle, and when it is over it would not be a bit surprising if there is a new lightweight champion. Martin beat him before and it was a clean cut victory, too. He has surely improved as much as Erne since their last meeting.

Martin will return to Lowell this week. His next opponent will in all probability be his old rival "Spike" Sullivan of Boston. They may be matched shortly to meet at either the Broadway or Lenox club.

CYCLING NEWS

Eddie McDuffee has arrived in Chicago, where he intends to go against two mile records; his own of 1 28 on the Garfield Park track, and the one mile record, straightway, on one of the level boulevards in that vicinity.

Charles Mack of the Century Road club, who reduced the New York to Philadelphia record last Sunday to five hours, 48 minutes and 50 seconds, rode a bevel geared chainless. Having captured the road record from New York to Albany, Mack is now considering an attempt on the New York to Boston record. He also holds the records for 100, 200, 300 and 400 miles, and the 12 and 24 hour records. After the New York to Boston record he intends to go for the New York to Washington record.

The movement of the American Bicycle company toward consolidation has begun. The eastern branch of one large maker has been closed and the business transferred to the branch store of another concern.

Orlando Stevens, the well known professional rider, last Saturday made a mile against time, motor pace, in 1.38⅘. This is the fastest mile ever made on a dirt track.

The American Waltham Manufacturing company, manufacturers of the Waltham Comet bicycle, are arranging to move their entire plant to Hartford, Conn. The plan involves an increase in the capital stock from $160,000 to $200,000, and subscriptions for this purpose are now being solicited in Hartford.

A race between Tom Cooper and Fred L. Kramer, the professional and amateur sprinting champions respectively, will probably be arranged for the indoor season, if not for an outdoor track, to decide who is really the best sprinter in America. Kramer recently defeated Earl Temboly of Chicago.

ADMIRAL DEWEY

IS FIGHTING FOR HIS JACKIES' BOUNTY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—Admiral Dewey is making a fight for double bounty for the men behind the guns who won for him the battle of Manila. He has filed a claim for $200 each for his men, instead of $100. They are entitled to the double allowance if the American force was inferior to the Spanish force in the Manila Bay fight. Admiral Dewey in a report to the navy department, claims that the Spanish force including the shore batteries, was superior to the American fleet. If Admiral Dewey's views are sustained the aggregate bounty will be about $360,000 instead of $180,000.

The admiral's conclusions are admitted by officers of the department to be correct, but it now appears that before the jackies can get their well earned reward, they must await the judgment of the court of claims.

Captain Lemley, judge advocate general of the navy department, says in his report among other things: "In order to settle claims for bounty, it is necessary that certain facts be first ascertained and established among which are on the one hand the names, number and character of vessels destroyed, their complement, armament, and aggregates force as compared with that of the victors; and perhaps also the degree of co-operation extended to them by shore batteries, torpedoes and mines. With respect to the captured vessels it is necessary to determine the identity and national character, their number, their offensive and defensive equipment and the names and rates of pay of their officers and men."

The claims submitted by the admiral are those of the Olympia, Baltimore, Raleigh, Boston, Concord, Petrel and McCulloch and the individual claim of Pay Inspector Bellows. The court of claims will also pass upon the claims of Sampson's squadron, growing out of the fight at Santiago.

HUDSON CASES

LOWELL MEN MAY BE TRIED AT PRESENT TERM OF COURT.

The Nashua Press says:

New Hampshire County Solicitor Tuttle was in Nashua Monday morning when it was expected that the Manhattan club of Hudson, represented by James H. Collins and Frank Traverny, would be heard in the supreme court on an appeal from Judge Clyde's court. The respondents came from Lowell. But the court was otherwise engaged and the trial was put over to a later date. The case of Julia Hill, who was indicted in the Uno beer case went over with the others. Solicitor Tuttle said that these cases will certainly be tried. Some of the respondents have come into court and settled but those who wish for a trial will have one. He does not favor postponement to the next term of court as has been reported.

BOOTT LOOMFIXERS.

A special meeting of the Boott Loomfixers will be held at their hall tonight at 7.30 o'clock to settle grievances that exist in the Boott. All other loomfixers are notified to stay away from the Boott until the present trouble is settled.

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FISTULA
CURED WITHOUT CUTTING.
PILES
CURED WITHOUT PAIN.
AT THE AMERICAN HOUSE, LOWELL
October 12th.

Dr. J. W. Daily of the BOSTON CLINIC is a leading specialist in diseases of the rectum, and will be at the American House, Lowell, on Thursday, October 12th, from 10 to 3 p. m. to treat PILES, FISTULA and FISSURES; and he undertakes no cases that he cannot cure.

In his methods of curing the above diseases, the operations are bloodless, and in most cases, painless; no ether is needed; the patients get up as if nothing had happened and go home; all of them are cured; and almost all attend to their usual business while being cured.

THE KNIFE OPERATION,
in fistula is painful and dangerous; it causes patients months of suffering and loss of time; it is a needless cruelty at best; fails in more than half the cases, and should never be employed.

Dr. Daily uses no knife, but proceeds in a careful and delicate way to find every part of the fistula and destroy it, making the cure in all cases complete and permanent.

PILES OF EVERY KIND,
are easily cured; it makes no difference how long a case has existed, nor how large and how painful the protruding and bleeding piles may be, they are completely destroyed in a few painless treatments by Dr. Daily, leaving the patients as well as in childhood.

INTERNAL PILES
that never "come down" are found and destroyed by the aid of a little instrument lighted with a tiny electric lamp.

While the doctor has cured a thousand cases of PILES AND FISTULA in New England, many of them being in and about Lowell, he can only afford space for a few testimonials in this notice. They are as follows:

PILES.
Prof. A. Mirault, No 3 Central St., Lowell, Mass., says: "I had protruding and bleeding piles for many years, and was cured by Dr. Daily of the Boston Clinic. The operations were painless and I am now entirely free from the disease."

FISTULA.
J. I. Nickerson, 592 6th street, South Boston, says: "I had a double fistula and feared I would lose my life. There was an abscess that discharged a pint at a time, and prevented me doing any work. I heard of the Boston Clinic and went there and was cured. I worked at home building all the time of treatment, visiting the Clinic once a week. I was told there were no failures, and all the patients corroborated it."

PILES.
Dr. Daily, Dear Sir: I take great pleasure in informing you that by your skilful treatment I am entirely cured of a very bad case of piles, from which I have suffered for more than 20 years. Very truly, Robert Butterworth, 11 South Whipple St., Lowell, Mass.

FISTULA.
A. W. Fulton, Walpole, Mass., says. "I suffered with a bad fistula for years, and was cured by Dr. J. W. Daily without cutting. I am now sound and well."

PRESIDING ELDER

REV. WILLARD T. PERRIN APPOINTED TO SUCCEED REV. DR. G. F. EATON, DECEASED.

The vacancy caused by the death of the Rev. Dr. G. F. Eaton, presiding elder of the Cambridge district of the Methodist Episcopal conference has been filled by Bishop Mallalieu by tranferring Dr. Joseph H. Mansfield to that district. The Rev. Willard Taylor Perrin, Ph. D. of the First Church, Dorchester, has been made presiding elder of the Boston district.

The appointment of Dr. Perrin will give general satisfaction. He is greatly beloved by his brethren in the ministry for his profoundedly religious life, his high ideals and his ability.

Dr. Perrin was born in Cambridge, June 2, 1850. He entered Harvard college in 1866, graduating in 1870 in the same class with Governor Wolcott, standing 12th in scholarship in a class compact for its high rank. After graduation, he was submaster in the Boston Latin school for one year.

Entering the school of theology of Boston University in 1871, he was graduated in 1874. During this course he was instructor in Greek for one year. He was admitted to the New England conference in 1874, ordained deacon by Bishop Simpson and elder by Bishop Harris. He was married April 12, 1876 to Miss Lucy Ellen Denton of Newton, who has been an invaluable helper in all the work of his ministry.

He has served with success important pastorates in the conference including Trinity, Worcester; Worthen street, Lowell; St. John's, South Boston, and the First church, Temple street, this city. In 1895 he was elected secretary of the trustees of Boston university. He was chosen president of the New England Home and Training school to succeed Dr. Brodbeck. From 1896-98 he was president of the first general conference district of the Epworth league and served as president of the Boston Methodist preachers' meeting in 1897-98. His degree of doctor of philosophy he received from Boston University.

NARROW ESCAPE

A BICYCLIST RAN INTO BY A SHIFTER.

An accident which might have resulted in the fatal injury of a boy was narrowly averted yesterday afternoon at the corner of Cabot and Cheever streets. The Tremont and Suffolk dummy engine was shifting cars from Cheever street into the storehouse and the engine had just passed over Cabot street to clear the switch when a boy about fifteen years who was riding a wheel attempted to cross the track. He had got half way across the track when one of the freight cars which was coupled to the dummy struck the rear wheel of the boy's bicycle. The force of the shock threw the boy heavily to the ground. A couple of bystanders ran across the street expecting to find the boy dead. But he picked himself up and started away on his wheel, apparently unhurt.

DR. PIERCE'S GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY FOR THE BLOOD, LIVER, LUNGS.

TAXES

Collector's Notice.

The assessors have committed to the Collector of Taxes the

TAX LIST OF 1899.

With instructions to collect in the manner prescribed by the Statutes of the Commonwealth and by the Ordinances of the City of Lowell, the sums assessed by them to the persons named therein, and he is now ready to receive payment of said Taxes at his office in City Hall.

When a Poll Tax only is assessed, the Tax is due, and if not paid forthwith, the collector will proceed to collect the Tax as directed by the General Statutes.

WARRANTS will be promptly issued for the collection of Poll Taxes.

SUMMONS, bearing costs, will be issued against delinquent Poll and Personal Tax Payers on or about November 1st.

INTEREST at the rate of seven per cent. per annum will be charged upon all Taxes which remain unpaid October 20, 1899, until the same shall be paid; and such interest shall be added to and considered a part of said Taxes. Poll Taxes are assessed upon every male inhabitant above the age of 20 years. On undivided real estate each heir is liable for the whole tax. An error in the name of the person taxed does not defeat the collection of the Tax. Each partner is liable for the whole Tax assessed under the partnership name.

If any ratable inhabitant, by removing his residence since the first day of May or from any cause should not receive his tax bill, he must consider the tax demanded by this notice and a new bill will be made out on application at the office of the City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes if a Tax has been assessed.

All who preserve their Tax Bills and bring them when they come to pay, will save the time of making a new bill and facilitate the business of the office.

THE RATE OF TAXATION FOR 1899 IS $19.60 ON $1000.

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Look for your Tax Bill at your place of residence, May 1st, 1899 and bring it with you.

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MURDER MYSTERY

Portion of Young Woman's Body Found

BY A BOY TWELVE YEARS OLD

The Head Had Been Hacked Off Body

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—The upper part of a woman's body was found on the beach at quarantine station at 7 a. m. today by John Heineman, 12 years old. The portion of the body found was from the waist line to the neck. The appearance of the flesh showed it had been but a short time in the water. It was tied up with twine and pieces of manila paper and newspaper cling to the twine. Most of the paper has washed away. Over the right breast was a cut about two inches long, but Dr. Doty, health officer of the port, who saw the cut, said it was merely a flesh wound and probably inflicted while cutting the body in pieces. The doctor said this portion of the body was the upper part of a young woman and that the woman had never been a mother. The part where the head had been cut off was quite jagged and the head had evidently been hacked off, the arms were cut off close to the shoulders and also showed clumsy work. The police were notified immediately.

On the clothing found last night by the police at 219 West 15lst street, it was said today that the name, "J. J. Newman," and the laundry mark, "J. J. N. 153" had been discovered. This was believed to be a clue to the mystery surrounding the death of the woman, dismembered parts of whose body have been found at various places about the city.

The piece was originally wrapped in a "World," the date of which was effaced by the action of the water and was tied with what is known as special yachting marline, which is similar to the fish line used in bluefish trolling. It was tied twice across the length and twice across the width of the package and was knotted in such a manner as to form a convenient loop or handle for carrying it by.

The paper had ben washed off in large pieces. Where the cords crossed the largest pieces of paper which still adhered were found.

Captain McCluskey of the detectives said it was quite possible that the murder, if such it was, had not been committed in New York city at all, but that it had been done in some other city and the parts of the body brought here. Captain McCluskey thought the clothing found last night at 219 West 15th street, had no bearing on the case. In his opinion the bundle was left where it was found by a frightened thief. Even with the portion of the body found off quarantine, Captain McCluskey thought identification would be almost impossible unless the head should be found.

The police of Brooklyn found later in the day a human skull, with the top sawed off. It was picked up in a lot near Washington avenue and Montgomery street. The skull has been preserved in alcohol for a time. A portion of the flesh of the lower part of the face still adhered to the bones. Part of the windpipe also remained. The New York police were notified and sent detectives to investigate the Brooklyn find.

Shortly after the arrival of the piece of the body from Staten Island at the morgue here, it was given out that it contained the heart, lungs and portions of the stomach. The detectives say there is a cut over the heart which they believe to be a stab wound.

SNOW'S FATHER

EXCUSED FROM SERVING AS A JUROR.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BARNSTABLE, Mass., Oct. 10.—The superior court of Barnstable county began its October session here this morning with Judge Bond presiding. Among the cases before the grand jury are those of Edward Ray Snow, of Yarmouthport, who is accused of murdering James T. Whittemore at Dennis last month, and that of Joseph Hill, a negro of Hyannis, who is charged with murdering his wife.

The court excused Albert C. Snow from serving as foreman of the grand jury, owing to the fact that his son is the young man accused of Whittemore's murder.

GAMBLERS FINED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 10.—Gardiner Groves, Frank Ballou, Russell Proctor, and Warren Staples, who some time ago pleaded nolo contendere to indictments charging them with being common gamblers, were called for sentence in the common pleas court this morning.

Judge Wilbur imposed a fine of $500 and costs on each. The total amount paid in fine and costs by the four men was $2579.10.

LEASE RATIFIED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Oct. 10.—The stockholders of the Dover and Portsmouth railroad met today after having adjourned last week, to take action on ratifying the sale of the road to the Boston and Maine railroad. The lease was ratified by a vote of 3313 shares to 1130 shares.

SATURDAY A HOLIDAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Oct. 10.—As a result of Governor Wolcott's letter requesting that Saturday, Oct. 14, be made a general holiday owing to the visit of Admiral Dewey the stock exchange and banks will be closed from Friday night to Monday morning.

STATE FAIR OPENED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 10.—The Rhode Island state fair was formally opened at Narragansett park this morning. Though the weather conditions were threatening early in the morning, the skies cleared by 11 o'clock and there began a heavy influx of sightseers. By 1 o'clock it was estimated that fully 20,000 people were on the grounds and the trains and trolley cars continued to arrive loaded to their full capacity. The display in the various departments is larger this year than ever before. This is specially the case with the poultry exhibit, which is pronounced the finest ever made in the state.

CHAMBERLAIN NAMED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BROCKTON, Mass., Oct. 10.—Edward Chamberlain of Brockton, today was nominated for Senator by republicans of second Plymouth district.

TRANSPORT NEWPORT

ARRIVED IN SAN FRANCISCO LAST NIGHT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 10.—The U. S. transport Newport, which arrived from Manila late last night, brought 461 discharged regulars mainly from the third artillery, the fourth cavalry, the Fourteenth infantry and Company B, the Signal Corps, 38 men under command of Lieut. Frank Bailey. Five men died of dysentery on the trip from Nagasaki. These were: Sergeant Major Young of the 22nd infantry; Private Walsh, of the Fourteenth infantry; Private Hancock of the Third Artillery; Private Sharkey of the Ninth infantry and an unknown discharged soldier.

CHADWICK DAY

Celebrated by 20,000 at Morgantown

THE CAPTAIN GETS A SWORD

Admiral Sampson Present as a Guest

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., Oct. 10.—Chadwick day was celebrated by 20,000 people today. The weather was magnificent and country people came forty and fifty miles over land. The special train with naval officers arrived at 6 o'clock, and a salute in honor of Admiral Sampson was fired by the University Cadets. In the party were Rear Admiral Sampson, Captain Chadwick and wife, Lieut. C. C. Marsh and wife, and Commander S. A. Staunton. Among the distinguished visitors were Governor Atkinson, Senators Elkins and Scott, ex-Senator Davis, Congressman Dayton, Secretary of State Dawson, General Spillman, General Appleton, Col. Babb and Major Elliott.

It was nearly noon when the procession started. The parade was divided into three divisions, composed of the veterans of the civil and Spanish wars, national guard of West Virginia and Pennsylvania and civic societies.

When the procession reached the reviewing stand, it was reviewed by the distinguished guests and then dismissed. The meeting was then called to order by Hon. George C. Sturgis and Governor Atkinson presented the sword to Captain Chadwick on behalf of the people of the state.

Captain Chadwick was deeply touched by the ovation accorded him and replied in a short address.

Hon. Joseph Moreland was then introduced and spoke on the subject, "Our Guest." He accorded to Sampson much of the credit of the victory at Santiago.

Admiral Sampson replied in a few well chosen words.

At the close of the address, the assembled bands played "America" in unison, thousands of voices joining in the air.

After this an impromptu reception and handshaking was held.

The sword in dimensions corresponds with naval regulations.

The blade is of the finest steel and decorated in gold and bears the following inscription:

"Presented to Captain French R. Chadwick, October 10, 1899, by the citizens of West Virginia."

On the reverse side is a vignette of the cruiser New, with the words: "An Ideal Ship with an Ideal Captain," surrounded with a suitable ornamentation.

The scabbard is made of sterling silver, heavily oxidized and relieved by richly carved decorations.

All the metal parts of the hilt and trappings are of solid gold and sterling silver.

LEACH FOR SENATOR.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

TAUNTON, Mass., Oct. 10.—Warren S. Leach of Raynham was renominated for senator at the first Bristol republican convention this afternoon by acclamation. There was no opposition. The chairman of the convention was Edgar L. Crossman of Taunton, and the secretary, Simeon A. Wheeler of Taunton. The committee on credentials was made up of William A. Lane of Norton; George N. Goff, Rehoboth, and E. C. Holt of Taunton.

DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM ENDORSED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Oct. 10.—The executive committee of the people's party has endorsed the platform adopted at the recent democratic convention. The letter reads as follows:

"The executive committee of the people's party recognizes that the platform the democratic party recently adopted in this state embodies to a greater extent than ever before principles to which we are committed, and we therefore cordially advise the members of our party in this commonwealth to vote for the candidates that stand upon it, as the best available method of promoting the reforms for which we have so long contended."

George F. Washburn, Chairman.
Dr. P. P. Field, Secretary.

MURDER—1 to 5.

SAFE BLOWN OPEN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 10.—A safe belonging to the Dominion Atlantic railway in the intercolonial passenger station here, was blown open with dynamite early this morning. The cracksmen secured $100 in cash and some papers of value to the officials.

GENERAL OTIS

TELLS OF MOVEMENT OF SCHWAN'S COLUMN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10—The war department has received the following dispatch from General Otis, dated Manila, Oct. 10:

"Gen. Schwan's column moved early this morning from Santa Cruz de Malabon, now believed to be in San Francisco de Malabon, not meeting very determined resistance; matters quiet in Imus section. Gen. Young with column starts tomorrow morning from San Fernando. Col. Bell cleared country yesterday west of Guagua to and including Florida Blanca, making captures of officers, men and property.

The Misses Kittie and Sarah Sparks and Abbie Higgins have returned home after a week's vacation in New York.

Nature makes the cures after all.

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MARTIN FLAHERTY

Defeated Tommy Hogan of St. Louis

LAST NIGHT IN TWENTY ROUNDS

Neither Fighter Able to Land Decisive Blow

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 10.—Martin Flaherty, the Lowell, Mass., lightweight, was awarded the decision over Tommy Hogan in a 20 round bout at the opening of Tim Hurst's new club in this city last night.

It was a fast fight from start to finish, and Flaherty had all the better of the argument, although in Hogan he had a stiff opponent. Tim Hurst refereed, and his decision was the only one he could have fairly given. While the fight was a fast one, neither man seemed able to land a decisive blow, and both finished strong.

The bout was witnessed by a large crowd. The articles called for a 20-round contest at catchweights for a decision. Both fighters appeared to be in excellent shape.

Hogan was considered one of the best if not the best man of his weight in the west. The only man who has been able to gain a decision over him previous to last night was Oscar Gardner, and that was the rankest kind of a verdict, Hogan having all the better of the fight.

But last night Hogan met the toughest propositon of his career in Flaherty. The clever Lowell lad was into him all the time, and received little punishment in return.

PRES. McKINLEY

TALKS WITH FELLOW MEMBERS OF BRICKLAYERS' UNION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHICAGO, Oct. 10.—President McKinley had scarcely finished breakfast this morning when the first of the many delegations seeking attention reached the Auditorium. The delegation was composed entirely of laboring men, and the president was closeted with them for half an hour. The party was made up principally of members of the Bricklayers and Stonemasons' Union, which some weeks ago made the president an honorary member of their organization. President Gubbins of the union in the course of conversation, mentioned the Bricklayers' organization.

"Our organization, if you please. Don't forget me," smiled Mr. McKinley, and the committee promised that he would always be remembered as a full-fledged union bricklayer and stonemason.

The corner-stone trouble, which arose from the employment of non-union labor in cutting the first stone, and which for a time threatened the ceremony of yesterday, was not spoken of.

The president declared he considered it a compliment to belong to the bricklayers' union, and pulled from an inside pocket the card entitling him to a voice in its proceedings.

"I would like to have the international body of which our union is a part, hold its convention of 1901 in Washington," said the president, as the building trademen were about to retire. President Gubbins thanked him for the invitation and declared that the matter would be laid before the delegates to the convention of 1900.

GENERAL FUNSTON

Attracted Much Attention in Yokohama

DISCHARGED SOLDIERS WERE ARRESTED

For Creating Trouble on the Newport

By Associated Press to The Sun.

YOKOHAMA, Sept. 25—Via San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 10—The Twentieth Kansas regiment has come and gone, adding materially to the very favorable impression made by all the American troops who have passed through here on their way homeward. The one man who had been the centre of attraction has of course been Gen. Funston. His modest bearing and strong personality have made him a great favorite.

The Newport on its homeyard voyage had on bond a large contingent of discharged soldiers. These men finding that they outnumbered the rest of passengers, carried things with a high hand. Dissatisfied with their accommodations, they practically took possession of the ship and driving the offices from their quarters installed themselves there in. On arriving at Nagasaki, Consul Harris being apprised of the affair, went on board with four Japanese policemen and arrested the ring leaders of the mutineers.

A fire at Hakodate on the 15th instant resulted in the destruction of nearly 3000 houses. As it is a town of 50,000 inhabitants, this means the wiping out of about one fourth of them. Within a little more than a month ago three great fires in Yokohama and Hakodate have destroyed upwards of 11,000 houses.

Shanghai is excited over the ghastly news of New Chwang where a government doctor sent to make an investigation discovered four depots containing 2000 fresh coffins of plague victims waiting to be sent to their native provinces.

A rumor is rife that the Emperor of China has succeeded in sending an appeal to the Emperor of Japan to rescue the writer from imminent danger of deposition and death at the hands of assassins.

It is also said that powerful influences have been brought to bear upon Dowager Empress inducing her to hesitate in her design to place a new incumbent upon the throne.

KID McCOY'S PLANS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 10—Kid McCoy is in this city and says his $1000 put up to make good his challenge to fight Fitzsimmons, will remain up until the time limit expires, for he does not believe that Fitz intends to meet him. Meantime he has an offer from Brady in New York to fight Peter Maher for a purse of $25,000 before Brady's athletic club about the last of November. He will gladly accept this if Fitzsimmons does not fight him.

DELAGO BAY

FORMAL ANNOUNCEMENT OF ITS CESSION TO GREAT BRITAIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Oct. 10.—It is reported that at the coming special session of Parliament formal announcement will be made of the cession of Delago Bay and the surrounding territory in Portuguese East Africa, to Great Britain.

THE RECEPTION

To Admiral Dewey in the Hub

ALL ARRANGEMENTS ARE COMPLETED

The G. A. R. Will Act as an Escort

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Oct. 10.—The various subcommittees and individual members of the joint Dewey celebration committee accomplished such good results yesterday in arranging the preparations for the visit of the admiral that the plans will be well under way when the joint committee meets this noon at the chamber of commerce.

Several changes were made in the plans yesterday. It was found that the line of march, as already made out, was entirely too short, and the people who desired to witness the parade would be disappointed unless more ground was covered. For this reason the line of march was lengthened.

Then, too, the plan first proposed that the admiral be presented with his watch in the mayor's room has been changed, so that now these exercises will take place on the stand in front of city hall to be constructed especially for that purpose.

The arrangements for Friday night's entertainment are now practically complete. The admiral will arrive here between 5.30 and 6 o'clock that evening. This was learned at the meeting of the state house members of the committee yesterday forenoon.

The committee received a note from President Tuttle of the Boston & Maine announcing that Gov. Smith of Vermont had talked with him, and had said that Admiral Dewey would be through with the exercises at Northfield by Friday noon. The governor said that he would accompany the admiral as far as White River Junction, and he believed that he could have him at White River by 1.30 o'clock. President Tuttle notified the committee that the special train on which Admiral Dewey would be brought to this city would carry him here in four hours. This would make his arrival in Boston about 5.30, or 6 o'clock at the latest.

The North station has seen some mighty crowds in its day, but the one which will gather there next Friday night at 5.30 to greet Admiral Dewey will be a record-breaker.

When the admiral arrives in town he will be met by members of the city government, the state officers not meeting him officially until Saturday morning. Carriages will be taken for the Touraine, and escort duty will be furnished by several military commands.

GRAND ARMY ESCORT.

Department Commander Gilman of the G. A. R. called on Mayor Quincy yesterday afternoon and talked with him regarding the part which the Grand Army is to play in the welcoming of Admiral Dewey. As a result, Commander Gilman sent out circulars last night to all the Grand Army posts in the state inviting them to parade on Friday night. It will be an imposing affair, and although it is not expected that the posts in the extreme parts of the state will turn out, yet it is believed that all Grand Army men who can will hail with delight this opportunity to honor Admiral Dewey.

Following is the order issued by Department Commander Gilman of the G. A. R. regarding the escort to Admiral Dewey Friday night:

General Orders No. 8.

BOSTON, Oct. 8, 1899.

1. The contemplated visit of the admiral of the navy to Boston offers to the Grand Army of the Republic of this department an opportunity to pay to that distinguished hero the honor which he so richly deserves, and which the veterans of the civil war are so willing to render.

2. The posts of this department are invited to assemble in Boston on Friday, Oct. 13, for that purpose. Line will be formed on both sides of Canal street, right resting on Haymarket square. Commanders of posts will report to the assistant adjutant-general, on the right of the line, at 5.30 p. m., and be assigned positions in the order of their arrival, without regard to seniority. Posts attending as organizations will carry their colors. Comrades whose posts do not parade will fall in with posts whose uniform is similar to theirs. Post and staff officers will wear side arms.

3. Edward W. Kinsley post 113, having tendered its services, will act as escort to the department commander.

4. Aides and assistant inspectors will report to Chief of Staff William M. Olin, at the head of Canal street. Past department commanders and national officers are invited to parade on the commander's staff.

5. Officers will salute and colors be dipped when the admiral is passing, and the same while the column is passing in review.

6. Through the courtesy of His Honor Mayor Quincy, a space on the Charles street mall will be reserved for the comrades of the G. A. R. during the military parade on Saturday. The police officers in charge will be instructed to admit veterans wearing the G. A. R. badge.

By command of JOHN E. GILMAN,
Department Commander.
Official: EDWARD P. PREBLE,
Assistant Adjutant-General.

Commander Gilman said that, as long as it was a naval hero who was being honored, he thought it right that a naval organization should hold the honored position, and so, at his suggestion, the Kearsarge naval veterans will be given the right of line. Admiral White has been notified to this effect.

The Spanish war veterans who are to turn out will probably make the greatest number of men of any organization in line. They will follow the Grand Army. A detail of 50 or 60 cavalrymen will be made from troops A and D, and they will act as outriders.

Governor suggests a holiday in the following communication:

Executive Chamber, State House,
Boston, Oct. 9, 1899.

To the Citizens of Boston:

Though without constitutional or statutory authority to declare a legal holiday on Saturday next, it is my earnest wish that places of business be closed generally on that day, in order that all our people may have full opportunity to participate in the welcome of commonwealth and city to Admiral Dewey.

I therefore recommend and request that as all departments at the state house will be closed in honor of the gallant admiral, similar action be taken by all our citizens, and that they emphasize their welcome by fitting decorations through the city, and especially along the route of the procession.

I believe confidently that through the patriotic spirit of the people of the state the day of welcome will be made effectually a holiday.

ROGER WOLCOTT.

FRIDAY NIGHT'S CARNIVAL.

The line of march on Friday night will be up Canal street to Sudbury and thence to Tremont, where the route will be to the Hotel Touraine.

On the way to the hotel, the admiral's way will be lighted up by a constant blaze of red fire and electrical effects. The storekeepers on the streets through which he is to pass will vie with one another in making the trip a memorable one.

Soon after 9 o'clock on Saturday the admiral will be presented with a $5000 watch at the city hall.

SATURDAY'S PARADE.

At noon the various organizations of the state militia will begin to gather on Commonwealth avenue, right resting on Arlington street. Gov. Wolcott as the commander-in-chief, will lead, and the two brigadier-generals, Gens. Mathews and Bancroft. Admiral Dewey will ride in the procession.

Fearing congestion along the down town streets first mentioned as the route, the military authorities decided late yesterday to extend the march of the troops along two of the principal avenues leading south and north from Charles street.

THE BANQUET.

The banquet to be tendered the admiral at the Algonquin club Saturday night will be a state affair. As these dinners are invariably informal, it is probable that no speeches will be made. This was the case when dinners were given to President McKinley and Admiral Sampson.

Miss Carrie White is now the organist of St. Michael's church.

Deadly Cancer

J. N. Murdock, 279 Snodgrass Street, Dallas, Texas, says: "My son had a terrible Cancer on his jaw, for which the doctors performed a painful operation, cutting down to the bone and scraping it. The Cancer soon returned, however, and was more violent than before. We were advised to try S. S. S. The second bottle made an improvement; after twenty bottles had been taken the Cancer disappeared entirely, and he was cured permanently."

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Boston & Maine Railroad

Corrected to October 2, 1899: Trains leave Merrimack street depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 6.43, 6.25, c6.42, *7.45, *8.50, c9.15, *9.45, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, c3.00, 4.25, c5.44 p. m.
SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex street station Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.46, 6.23, c6.45, w6.50, 7.01, *7.20, *7.28, 7.33, *7.45, w*8.00, *8.57, c9.19, w9.25, *9.50, w10.50, 11.03, *11.48 a. m.; w12.05, 12.14, w12.45, 1.43, w2.30, w*3.03, 3.10, *3.47, w3.55, 4.28, w5.15, 5.22, c5.45, w*6.15, *6.22, 7.00, *7.45, w8.25 p. m.
SUNDAYS, 7.20, 7.28, w8.15, 8.48, 9.19 a. m., w12.05, w1.15, 4.25, w6.30, 5.55, w7.25, p. m.

For Lawrence, 6.23, w6.50, z7.33, w8.30, w9.25, 10.05, w10.50 a. m.; w12.12, w2.30, w3.10, w3.55, 4.18, w5.15, w6.16, w7.00 w9.25, wb11.25 p. m.
SUNDAYS, w8.15 a. m.; w12.05, w5.30, w7.25 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., w6.28, 7.33 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, w5.15, 5.53 p. m.

For Haverhill, 6.28, 6.60, z7.33, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.10, w3.55, w5.15, 6.15, 7.00, 9.25, b11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 6.16 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, z7.33, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.10, 5.05, 6.16 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.55, z7.33, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.30 p. m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.50, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, 6.50, 8.30, a. m.; 12.05, 5.15 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Skowhegan and Rockland, 8.30 a. m.; 5.16 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For St. John's, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and Quebec, 5.15 p. m. (5.15 does not run Saturdays). SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

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For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.12 a. m.; 1.00, 3.41, 5.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.12 a. m.; 3.41 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.40, 9.12, *9.40 a. m.; *12.12, 1.00, *1.40, 3.41, *5.40, 6.27, *8.10, *8.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.00 a. m. (to Nashua only), 3.08 a. m.; 2.00, 6.02, 8.10, 8.40 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction, 9.12, *9.40 a. m.; *12.12, *1.40 (to Franklin only), 5.40, *a8.40 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.,) Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.40, 9.22 a. m.; 1.40 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, *9.40 a. m.; *1.40, *a8.40 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Jct., Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal, via Central Vermont Line, *9.40 a. m.; *12.12, *a8.40 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line, *9.40 a. m.; *a8.40 p. m.

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BOARD OF POLICE

OFFICER JOHN F. HEALEY PROMOTED TO THE REGULAR FORCE.

At the regular meeting of the board of police last night the following licenses were granted: Junk collector, Barney Shapiro, 81 Railroad street and David Kern, 108 Chelmsford. Employment office, Carrie M. Geuther, 109 Merrimack. Bowling alley, etc., James McLaughlin, 35 East Merrimack. Job and express, Martin P. Fahey, 101 Fremont and John Burke, 719 Lakeview avenue. Common victualler, Harry Demarais, 61 East Merrimack; Patrick Farren, 32 Manchester; Leonard P. Richardson, 391 Gorham; Annie Buzzle, 379 Middlesex; Eben E. Moore, 349 Middlesex and Joseph C. Hatcheller, 143 Paige. Hawker and peddler, A. B. Fellows, Billerica; John O'Brien, Westford; Edgar P. Barclay, Chelmsford; Hattie A. Dane, Westford; Henry Shepherd, Dracut; Jeremiah Murphy, Tewksbury; William Horne, 101 Lakeview avenue; Arthur E. Wilson, Westford; Charles H. Noah, 17 W. Adams street. The pool license of William H. Beil, 349 Central street, was revoked.

Common victualler, Bridget Mullaney, 73 Concord street—Emily Lowe, 25 Fourth and John J. Kelley, 457 Worthen.

Hawker and peddlers' license, Michael Ready, Corbett place.

Officer John F. Healey was promoted from the supernumerary to the regular force to take the vacancy made by the dismissal of Dunlavey.

MATRIMONIAL.

Dr. James F. Sullivan and Miss Jeannette T. Costello, both of this city, were united in matrimony last evening at 7.30 o'clock in the beautiful chapel of the Immaculate Conception parochial residence. The chapel was tastefully decorated for the occasion with ferns and potted plants and presented a beautiful appearance.

The matrimonial ceremony was performed by Rev. George A. Costello, of the Church of the Assumption of Brookline, a brother of the bride, assisted by Rev. William D. Joyce, O. M. I., pastor of the Immaculate Conception church.

The bride was attended by her sisters Misses Annabel and Catharine L., as bridesmaids and Miss Susie A. was maid of honor. The best man was Dr. Thomas J. Broderick of Charlestown, a classmate of the groom. The bride was given away by her father.

The bride was charmingly gowned in white satin, trimmed with rare point lace. The bridesmaids and maid of honor were also attractively gowned.

Immediately following the marriage ceremony, a reception was held at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Thomas Costello, 233 Nesmith street. Only relatives and immediate friends were present. After a short reception a bountiful wedding repast was served, the D. L. Page company catering.

The beautiful residence of Mr. Costello was also elaborately decorated with floral trimmings, combinations of oak leaves, roses and chrysanthemums. The decorations produced a pleasing and artistic effect. They were the work of Patten & Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan left early in the evening on a wedding tour. They were the recipients of many beautiful and costly wedding gifts.

HYDE—SHERBURNE.

Mr. Henry W. Hyde and Miss Ruth A. Sherburne, both well known young people of this city were married last evening at 6.30 o'clock in the Kirk street church in the presence of several hundred of their friends.

The decorations consisted of an elaborate arrangement of palms, evergreen trees and plants about the platform and the space immediately in front of it, forming an effective background for the wedding party.

Mr. George F. Hamer was the organist and he gave a varied program while the guests were assembling. The bridal chorus from Lohengrin was the march to which the procession entered the church. The bridegroom was attended by Mr. Edward H. Shattuck, his best man. The bride who was gowned in a lovely creation of white silk, entered with her uncle, Mr. Reuben Sherburne of Boston. She was attended by Miss Mary Emily Pitman of Raymond, N. H., who was gowned in white organdie and lace. The bride carried a bouquet of chrysanthemums. The ushers were Messrs. Charles A. Mitchell, Chas. D. Paige, Frank W. Hall, Ralph Hayden, Wallace P. Butterfield, and Lewis E. MacBrayne.

Rev. William A. Bartlett, D. D., performed the ceremony and when the kneeling couple received the benediction, the joyous strains of the Mendelssohn march gave the step for the procession from the church. There was no reception. The young people, followed by the best wishes of their host of friends, left the city on an early evening train for the north. Upon their return they are to make their home in the Highlands. They received many wedding gifts.

McOSKER—KING.

Mr. Thomas F. McOsker, chief clerk in the office of the Boott corporation, and a popular member of the Alpine club, was united in marriage to Miss Annie E. King, a teacher at the Franklin school, this morning at 9 o'clock at the parochial residence of the Immaculate Conception parish.

The matrimonial ceremony was performed by the pastor, Rev. William D. Joyce, O. M. I., in the chapel which was beautifully decorated with ferns, potted plants and an abundance of autumn leaves.

The bride was attended by her sister Miss Marietta King, and the best man was Mr. John F. McOsker, a brother of the groom.

The bride was becomingly gowned in embroidered muslin over taffeta silk, with duchess lace trimmings. The bridemaid's dress was of white muslin and pink.

After the marriage ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, 223 Stackpole street, and was followed by a wedding repast, the D. L. Page company catering. Only relatives of the contracting parties were present at the reception.

Mr. and Mrs. McOsker leave this afternoon for an extended honeymoon. They will go to New York and thence to Old Point Comfort, Va., and on their return they will reside at 23 Huntington street.

The happy couple were the recipients of many beautiful and costly wedding gifts, from their numerous friends as both are quite popular.

HOUGH SENTENCED.

TO FIVE YEARS AND BAILEY CONTINUED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CONCORD, N. H., Oct. 11.—Yesterday afternoon the cases of Harry F. Bailey of Colebrook and Harry Hough of Dover were taken up in the circuit court here.

In the case of Bailey, Mr. Bates asked that the case be allowed to go over until the December term with the understanding that at the latter time the respondent will plead nolo to the charge of making false returns to the controller of the currency.

After a few moments' delay, Bailey appeared and pleaded not guilty to the three charges of committing embezzlement and making false entry. It was agreed that bail commissioners should be appointed who should return the sureties before October 2 and the court ordered that the case be continued until the December term.

The case of Harry Hough of Dover was then called and the respondent pleaded nolo contendre to the charge of making false entries in the books of the Cocheco National bank.

William F. Nason, assignee of the savings bank, testified to Mr. Hough's great assistance upon the books of the institution and Receiver E. H. Carrell of the national bank made a similar statement. Judge Aldrich imposed a sentence on Hough of five years in jail one year at Dover and four years at Manchester.

TINY BABY GIRL

TWELVE INCHES LONG AND WEIGHS 15 OUNCES

By Associated Press to The Sun.

TAUNTON, Oct. 11.—A bright little girl baby—tremendously little at that—is the cause of much talk here. Her name is Marie Noemie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bernard of No. 9 Fourth avenue, and when she first saw the light of day on Friday last weighed scarcely a pound, in fact only 15 ounces, according to the statement of the attending physician, and also the father.

When a reporter called there yesterday this mite of humanity was tugging away at a nursing bottle, and made herself heard when disturbed to be weighed and measured. At birth she was scarcely 12 inches long, but within the past four days she has grown almost as many inches, and is a trifle over 15. She has also thrived in weight having gained a quarter of a pound and with flannels removed today weighed a trifle over 19 ounces. Her form is symmetrical, though on a small scale, and the attending physician is confident that she will thrive and live.

The mother, Mrs. Barnard, was born in Capchat, Bonaventure county, province of Quebec, about 25 years ago, and her husband, who is a few years her senior, was born in the same province, at Iberville. They lived in Woonsocket, R. I., for a time before coming here. Mrs. Bernard was only 16 years of age when married, and this is her fifth child, the other four having been of normal size, but three have died at various ages. The fourth is living and is about 17 months old.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

There was a large attendance at the Sunday school in St. John's church Sunday afternoon. The sisters of the Notre Dame academy of St. Patrick's church, Lowell, have charge of the Sunday school this year.

A large delegation of North Chelmsford people will visit Boston Saturday to attend the grand Dewey celebration.

On account of the lower town hall being used for school purposes this year, the selectmen of Chelmsford have decided to have the polling place for voting of precinct two in the upper hall, instead of the lower hall, where the polling places have been in years past.

During the next few weeks there will probably be a checker series held between the married and single men of this village, and as there are quite a large number of good checker players in this village this winter, it is expected that many exciting games will be played.

Mr. Eugene Dutton will look after the street lamp lighting in North Chelmsford again this winter. Mr. Dutton has had the street lights in charge for the past few years.

It is reported that hen thieves are around the vicinity of this village and the many hen owners of North Chelmsford should be on their guard against them.

Sunday evening the Holy Name society of St. John's church held their regular monthly meeting in the church.

UNIVERSALIST CONFERENCE.

The Merrimack Valley conference of Universalists opens this month. The initial meeting is in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Lawrence. The program is as follows:

10.45 a. m. Conference meeting led by the Rev. W. E. Gaskin of Methuen.

11.15 a. m. Sermon by the Rev. F. W. Gibbs of Amesbury.

12.15 p. m. Dinner.

1.0 p. m. Business and election of officers.

2 p. m. Conference led by the Rev. J. C. Snow, D. D., of Haverhill, followed by address by the Rev. R. A. Greene of this city.

PEOPLE'S CLUB.

The women's branch of the People's club is now open in the Swan building and the rooms are provided with Welsbach lights, giving admirable advantages for reading and for the pursuit of branches taught in the various classes.

Classes announced this far are in dress making, plain sewing, buttonholes, embroidery, lace work and millinery. It is probable that classes in other branches will be opened later, and all interested in any department of work are invited to make inquiries or suggestions, and when feasible such classes will be formed.

As some of the classes already planned for are limited in number, early registration is desirable.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

At the regular meeting of Washington commandery, Golden Cross, tomorrow night, there will be a mock trial in which one of the members will be tried on a charge of larceny. It is expected that a large attendance will be present.

There will be a meeting of the Boott loom fixers at their hall this evening at 7.30 o'clock to settle important business. The meeting is especially for the Boott loom fixers and no others will be admitted.

At the regular meeting of the Burkes last night, 35 propositions were received and 61 new members were admitted.

It was voted to parade Burkes' Memorial Sunday.

A vote of thanks was extended to Representative M. M. Mansfield for donating the manual of the General Court also to Representative George E. Verney for donating books entitled "Acts and Resolves of the General Court," and the Bradford history of "The Plymouth Plantation."

It was voted to have a smoke talk next Tuesday evening.

Mt. Zion lodge of Good Templars held a reunion of past and present members in Good Templar hall last night. There was a large attendance, and all enjoyed the general good time that was in order. There were songs, readings, piano solos, and reminiscent remarks by several of the members and later on a few games were played. Those who took part were Miss Maude Hopkins, Miss Maude Curtis, Thomas Husband and others. Rev. N. W. Matthews gave a few words of a temperance vein, speaking of the improved condition of the city under no-license, and urging the members to do all they can toward helping the officers suppress the sale of the liquor traffic in the city. Refreshments were served later in charge of Miss Phoebe Crabb, assisted by Miss Hattie A. Hodge, Miss Maude Mountford, Miss Edith Williams, Miss Bertie McMillan and Mrs. Alexander Mack.

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SENATOR HOAR, CLARA BARTON AND GOVERNOR THOMAS WRITE TO THE SUN.

A Remarkable Article in which These Thinkers Tell the State of the Woman's Suffrage Movement—Plead for it and Predict its Bright and Glorious Future to the Readers of The Sun.

SEN. HOAR'S LETTER.

The Massachusetts Statesman Came to the Belief Long ago That Women Should Have Equal Rights With Men.

I came to the belief, long ago, that the welfare of the State, that the true interest of the women of America, that justice, which is the great standing policy of all civil society, alike demand that woman shall be admitted to her full and equal share of the government of the republic.

Our fathers believed that mankind were placed in this world for the training of the moral and spiritual nature by learning to submit a free will voluntarily to the moral law. They regarded the State is but one instrumentality in this education. The sublimest thing in the universe, except its Creator, is a human will governing itself in obedience to a law higher than its own desire. The sublimest manifestation of that self-control is when a self-governing State regulates its conduct by the moral law.

Now, undoubtedly, just as the moral qualities of the individual—self-control, honesty, frugality, industry, generosity and courage—are displayed in some calling to which man devotes his life, so the constituents of the self-governing State show the same qualities in certain functions in which the forces of the State are exercised. It is necessary to our conception of the ideal State to determine not only who shall control it and who shall constitute it, but the ends to the accomplishment of which its mighty forces are to be directed. These are, in general, defence against foreign and domestic violence; prevention and punishment of crime; making and enforcing laws which regulate property and the relation of men to each other; the accomplishment of those things to which individual resources and capacity are unequal, such as the provision of institutions of education; caring for the insane, the blind, the deaf and dumb, the poor; the establishment of libraries and museums; the construction of public roads; the post office; the regulation and control of great commercial transactions and instrumentalities; and the choice of legislators, judges, executive officers, and all the instruments by which all these things are to be accomplished.

WOMEN SHOULD VOTE.

Now, we demand two very simple things. First, that in counting the votes for these instruments in our elections, the vote of women shall be counted. Second, that when the people vote for public officers, or they are otherwise appointed, if a woman seem to be the fittest person for the place, she may be selected. That is all.

SENATOR GEORGE F. HOAR, OF MASSACHUSETTS.

It is less than forty years since the movement for woman suffrage began to assume serious proportions. The men and women who took up the advocacy of this cause had to encounter prejudices which had existed since the foundation of the earth, so far as we know anything of human history. The relation of woman to man was a relation of inferiority and of incapacity to act for herself in all the important transactions of life. Woman was not permitted to vote; she could hold no office, except that by a strange anomaly she could occupy the throne of some of the most powerful and highly civilized monarchies of the earth. The married woman could hold no property; could make no contract; had no lawful control over her own children or her own person; she could not make a will; the custom of society shut her out from the learned professions and from all profitable occupations. It was deemed unbecoming for her to speak in public, and in many parts of the world to appear in public without an escort. If those who ask now that the vote of woman shall be counted in the United States have any prejudice to encounter, let those who feel it remember that forty years ago it would have seemed far more monstrous to them to do away with the condition of things that I have described, than it does to-day to count the votes of their wives, or their sisters, or their mothers.

To-day woman manages her property; she has the control of her own person; she is admitted to the bar of the Supreme Court of the United States, and to the pulpit; she manages the post office; she is librarian of the public library; she conducts the school; she practices medicine; she is head of the hospital; she has elevated the calling of the trained nurse to a high rank among liberal professions. If a remnant of the ancient barbarism is sometimes discovered anywhere lurking among the mass of our statutes men are filled with wonder and disbelief when the fact is made known; and a remedy is at once applied. No man can be found so conservative as to desire to take a backward step in any of these things.

THE SUFFRAGE QUESTION.

Now, the debate between the advocates of woman suffrage and its opponents is, to my mind, but a contest between two theories of the function of the State. If the State is to do nothing or to do little but to raise and discipline armies, to build jails, and to establish police courts, the less woman has to do with it the better for her, and the better for the State, except, that even here the State must largely depend upon her for the instrumentalities which are to diminish the evil of war and lessen its horrors. If, on the other hand, it is so to use its forces as to put an end to these things; if education, justice, science, art, charity, the promotion of commerce and manufacture, the healing of diseases, the promoting everywhere increased reverence for the individual soul, be a function to which its great forces are to be devoted in the future, then it is indispensable that woman should have in its management her full and equal share.

If to clothe woman with the elective franchise is to take from her a tithe of her womanhood; if she is to become less gentle, modest, affectionate, pure, sweet, we abandon the field at once. If to impose upon her political duties is to be inconsistent with her supreme duties at home, she must still devote herself to the latter and keep aloof from the former. But I believe that the perfect State, according to my conception of it as the great example and instrument of self-government, needs the element of perfect womanhood, according to the American and the English conception of womanhood. I believe that the accomplishment by this vast force and influence, the concentrated power of the republic, of results for humanity not otherwise to be attained, can be made easier and surer by the aid of the qualities which the women of the republic alone can furnish.

GEORGE F. HOAR.

FROM GOV. THOMAS.

He Says That Woman's Suffrage has Passed the Experimental State in Colorado and is now Established.

Woman suffrage has passed its experimental stages in Colorado, and the public verdict is one of approval. Only those who expected a moral transformation from its adoption have been disappointed. Those of us who believed that women should assume their proportion of public responsibility, and secure as individuals the benefits of a broader citizenship, and that through the suffrage, the general standard of womanhood would be uplifted, have reason to feel that our opinions have been sustained by the experiences of the past four years.

Women are prone to regard the possession of the franchise as a serious public trust, and they vote for the most part from a sense of duty. To perform this duty properly they seek to inform themselves concerning public questions, and in doing this they naturally extend their inquiries into other fields of knowledge. Their clubs are devoted to discussions and criticisms, to the mastery of parliamentary rules and other details of procedure, which are only more natural to men because the latter have had more need to know them. Our women are consequently making mental progress; enlarging the horizon of their information and demonstrating the truth of Wendell Phillips' reflection that they have been superficial in their mental acquirements, only when their environments made it unnecessary for them to be anything else. I think it safe to say that the women of Colorado, now five years on their way of suffrage, are as well posted and as capable of voting intelligently upon current political and industrial problems as any other class of voters in the United States; and that their sense of duty involved in the proper discharge of their political rights is higher than that of the average male voter.

Nor has the Colorado woman lost any of her feminine graces or charms through her performance of public duty. The home circle, the vocations of wife, mother and daughter, are unimpaired by contact with political life. The ghost of woman's degradation through the investiture of the suffrage has never materialized in Colorado. I can, therefore, say without hesitation that woman's enjoyment of political right and prerogative is wholly compatible with every duty and requirement of her daily life.

HE TAKES PLEASURE IN WRITING AN ARTICLE ON HIS FAVORITE TOPIC FOR OUR SUBSCRIBERS.

GOVERNOR C. S. THOMAS, OF COLORADO, WHO APPROVES OF WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE.

To the broad-winning portion of the sex the ballot is a boon. She is a factor whose power must be respected. Like her brother, she is to be reckoned with at the polls. Hence it is her buckler against industrial wrong, her protection against the constant tendency to reduce her wages because of her helplessness. If no other reason existed for conferring this right upon womankind, this, to the man of justice, should be all-sufficient.

One curious effect of woman suffrage has not yet been much commented on. It is that as a rule the woman of the half-world prefers not to vote, and generally will not unless she is pressed or coerced to do so. One of the stock arguments against the granting of the privilege has been that this class will do most of the voting and exert most of the influence. It is well founded in theory, but in practice the pleasing fact seems to be otherwise. I think the reason for this is that these poor creatures are, more than any others, the sport and plaything of local political pulls and spites and jealousies. They fear that by voting they will incur the animosity of the powers that "be" or "may be," and therefore take refuge in abstention. But whatever the reason, the end predicted from this source has not yet materialized.

Another advantage to be briefly noticed is the higher tone which prevails in the deliberations of caucuses and conventions. Men and women become excited and passionate at these gatherings, but the profanity and vulgarity of the old regime have departed. Violent disturbances are practically unknown. The presence of women elevates the deliberations of assemblies and reminds us that at those places, as at all others, we should be gentlemen.

Some of the good results of woman suffrage, briefly summarized, are:

Increased responsibility resulting in the acquisition of knowledge, thus broadening the mental horizon of women generally.

Increased capacity for the intelligent exercise of the suffrage, which is regarded as the imposition of a duty rather than the grant of a privilege.

The compatibility of every womanly trait with every political prerogative.

The elevation of the working woman by the possession of political power, thus enabling her to fight life's battles on terms of equality with competitors.

A general elevation and improvement in the tone of practical politics.

C. S. THOMAS.

Executive Chamber,
Denver, Colo.

CLARA BARTON SELDOM DEPARTS FROM HER OWN FIELD OF LABOR, BUT SHE MAKES AN EXCEPTION IN THE ACCOMPANYING STIRRING APPEAL.

THE PICTURE OF CLARA BARTON WHICH THE RED CROSS WORKERS WILL USE IN PAINTING A LIFE-SIZE HEAD AS A MEMORIAL OF THEIR LEADER.

MISS BARTON'S APPEAL.

Man who owes so Much to Woman Should not Hesitate About Granting to her This Piece of Simple Justice.

It was a surprise to me that my opinions either way should be held of sufficient importance to be mentioned. What difference could it make to others what I approved or disapproved, believed or disbelieved in? But as I reflected upon it it did occur to me that perhaps it ought to be of sufficient importance to myself to induce me to take the opportunity which offers at this moment to make my record a trifle more clear, if possible, and this will require very little time.

I believe I must have been born believing in the full right of woman to all the privileges and positions which nature and justice accord to her in common with other human beings. Perfectly equal rights—human rights. There was never any question in my mind in regard to this. I did not purchase my freedom with a price; I was born free; and when, as a younger woman, I heard the subject discussed, it seemed simply ridiculous that any sensible, rational person should question it. And when, later, the phase of woman's right to suffrage came up, it was to me only a part of the whole, just as natural, just as right, and just as certain to take place.

And whenever I have been urged, as a petitioner, to ask for this privilege for woman, a kind of dazed, bewildered feeling has come over me.

Of whom should I ask this privilege? Who possessed the right to confer it? Who had greater right than woman herself? Was it man, and if so, where did he get it? Who conferred it upon him? He depended upon woman for his being, his very existence, nurture, and rearing. More fitting that she should have conferred it upon him.

Was it governments? What were they but the voice of the people? What gave them their power? Was it divinely conferred? Alas! no; or they would have been better, purer, more just and stable.

Was it force of arms—war? Who furnished the warriors? Who but the mothers? Who reared the sons and taught them that liberty and their country were worth their blood? Who gave them up, wept their fall, nursed them in suffering, and mourned them dead?

Was it labor? Women have always, as a rule, worked harder than men.

Was it capital? Woman has furnished her share up to the present hour. Who, then, can give her the right, and on what basis? Who can withhold it?

In regard to my nationality, I was born in the old Huguenot town of Oxford, Mass., U. S. A. My father and mother were born there. My grandfathers and grandmothers, with two exceptions, were born, lived, died, and were buried there.

There is, once in a while, a monarch who denies the right of man to place a crown upon his head. Only the Great Jehovah can crown and annoint him for his work, and he reaches out, takes the crown, and places it upon his head with his own hand. I suspect that this is in effect what woman is doing to-day. Virtually there is no one to give her the right to govern herself, as men govern themselves by self-made and self-approved laws of the land. But in one way or another, sooner or later, she is coming to it. And the number of thoughtful and right-minded men who will oppose, will be much smaller than we think; and when it is really an accomplished fact, all will wonder, as I have done, what the objection ever was. CLARA BARTON.

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TELEPHONE ISSUE

Discussed at Length Before City Council Last Night

The Globe Company Heard on its Petition for Franchise — The Hearing Again Continued for Two Weeks

The regular meeting of the board of aldermen was held last evening and after an hour of regular business the hearing of the Globe Telephone company continued from the last meeting was resumed. Mayor Crowley presided.

There were several petitions referred to the proper committees. A $35,000 resolution to pay Daniel Gage the award in his suit for damages was passed and the joint resolution providing for the purchase of a boat and grappling irons to be used for the recovery of drowned bodies was passed in concurrence.

The report of the committee on sewers recommending the construction of a sewer in Manchester street was read. The estimated expense is $480 and the probable amount of assessment on the abutters $240. Mr. Dimon said that a mill there had been obliged to empty into the street and the board of health has peremptorily ordered that the nuisance be corrected. The resolution accompanying the report, providing for the building of the sewer, was passed without opostion.

An order for the state election Tuesday, Nov. 7, was passed. This includes the election for sheriff and a notice to that effect was read.

A resolution to transfer $600,000 from the general treasury fund to pay temporary loans in anticipation of taxes was passed.

Resolutions to accept sidewalks in Westford street, in Tyler Park, westerly side of Robbins street, in Fort Hill avenue and on the westerly side of School street from Broadway, north, were passed. The recommendation that a grist of petitioners be given leave to withdraw, was endorsed.

Monthly reports were placed on file in concurrence with the lower board and sidewalk assessments were confirmed in concurrence.

The mayor presented his list of precinct officers which goes over until the next meeting. Aldermen Wilder and Chapin were appointed a committee to meet the selectmen of Chelmsford on the question of the town line.

A committee from the Trades and Labor council was present and a petition from them was read asking for a hearing.

It was voted to give it at the next meeting of the board.

Building licenses were granted and a communication was read from the Massachusetts Telephone and Telegraph company, asking that its hearing be given at the next meeting of the board, officers of the company who desired to attend being unable to be present. It was so voted.

The telephone hearing was then taken up.

The remonstrance had been opened at the previous meeting and was resumed, the first speaker being Samuel L. Powers, counsel for the New England company. He said the New England company was organized sixteen years ago and operated in the New England states. Ninety-five per cent. of the capital was owned in Massachusetts and more stock was held in Lowell than in any other city of its size. Such a company had a right, he claimed, to oppose the petition of a corporation coming from another state. The New England company was found to give good service for reasonable rates and for a fair return.

"The New England company, managed by Massachusetts men and Massachusetts money, desire to deal fairly with Massachusetts people," he continued. "It has built up a great business. In four states it has 50,000 subscribers, more than there are in the whole of France, and nearly as many as in England. This has taken brains and capital. We do not say that the service is perfect or the art of telephones entirely understood. It is not as good as it will be in five years more. All that the New England company is trying to do is to earn 6 per cent. upon its capital stock. The largest dividend that it ever paid was $6 on a share and the stock sells at $150 or $151. Not even the enemies of the company pretend that it is over-capitalized. If stock sells so far above par when the directors avow that they do not intend to earn over 6 per cent., then there must be something solid behind it.

"You may think that your rates are high in Lowell. We are willing that a special committee from your board should look into the question of what we make in Lowell. We have nothing to hide from you. Averaging all the telephones in Lowell, you pay 2 1-5 cents whenever you use your telephone. Is that unreasonable? For that price, or about what it costs you to buy a stamp, you call up 1350 subscribers any part of the day or night or on Sunday to talk for five minutes. A letter would cost the other man a stamp before you got a reply, and I do not include the cost of paper and envelopes.

"In Boston the average cost to telephone was five cents and now, with over 20,00 subscribers, the cost there is 1½ cents. The cost will decrease in Lowell in the future. The policy of our company is that all that we earn over 6 per cent. shall be given to the subscribers in reduced rates. Does your railway or gas company say that? I will wager that there is not another corporation in New England that has such a system.

"I believe that it is the duty of every public service corporation to decrease its rates when it earns more than a reasonable return on the money invested. This may seem extreme to some corporation men, but it is a condition that must be faced in Massachusetts.

"Mr. Kirk of New Jersey, at the last hearing, stated that it would cost $100 a subscriber for a metallic circuit. That seems small to us, for we place the cost at $250. He proposed to charge $15 a year for telephones, but his taxes and depreciation in one year would amount to $16, and this takes no account of labor and maintenance. Fifty per cent. of the money that we earn is paid out to labor.

"It is ridiculous to talk of $15 telephones in Lowell. I would like nothing better than a special committee to look into this question of how much money we are making in Lowell on the $250,000 invested here. Mr. Kirk stated that in Paterson, N. J., the old company had cut rates because of competition. This is not so. The rates have not been cut, but are higher than in Lowell. They have a 550 call rate for $25 a year, but it is on an eight party line. It appears that the old company is growing all the time. Why doesn't the new company, with its $15 a year rate, take the whole field? It must be because the new company does not give as good service, or because the people have no confidence that it has come to stay.

"You have an example of competition near at hand in the failure of the competing company in Manchester, where a $40,000 plant was sold at a receiver's sale for $8000, and found no purchaser but the New England company. There have been seven or eight competing companies in Massachusetts and only one of them survives, the little company in Haverhill. You take away the opportunity of the stock jobbers, and you take away their incentive to build telephone lines. These companies organized under Delaware and New Jersey laws are raising their money by selling stock, and it is the men who put in the hard cash who meet the losses.

"The New England company stands here as representing Massachusetts men and Massachusetts money willing to do its duty under the laws of the state. It cannot give a $15 service. It buys its supplies in the lowest market, and it can economize in but one manner, in labor. It has hired American labor at American wages. Cheaper labor is to be found if we change the system. You have never seen us doing our work in Lowell by contract labor. We could have done it cheaper, but it was not our system.

"We are giving you the best service possible. But, you say, we should do something more for the city. Are we doing nothing for the city? We are one of your largest taxpayers. The Globe company offered to pay you 5 per cent. on their net earnings. There will be no net earnings on the rate proposed. How much would they pay you in taxes. They offer free telephones, but our taxes amount to several dollars to every one you pay us.

Alderman Chapin said he understood that the Globe company did not promise a $15 rate but intended to charge $30 a year.

Edward D. McVey appeared in remonstrance to the Globe company's petition, believing in municipal telephones, but he said that between the two companies, his sympathies would be with the Globe company. The New England company, he claimed, valued its franchise at $15,000,000 and has sold extra stock not for development but for the benefit of its stockholders. All companies asking for franchise, he thought were stock jobbers. The New England company had the right under New York laws to issue five million more of stock. All companies organized in New York were stock jobers.

Mr. McVey spoke at considerable length and Alderman Derby asked several questions of Mr. Powers. The latter said that in Lowell about $200 was represented on each telephone. He denied that the investment was as high as $700 per instrument. The comparatively small number of subscribers in Lowell was due to the fact that it has so large a mill population.

In reply to other questions, Mr. Powers said: "It can be no stock jobbing scheme when we have had the right to issue more stock for 15 years, and have never done it until last year, when we desired to retire a million dollars' worth of bonds. The company owes three million dollars borrowed for construction."

John J. Harvey, Esq., appearing for the petitioners, disclaimed any intent of the Globe company to give telephone service for $15. He said the rates would be those set forth in the petition. The company made no issue with the New England company, for the service it was giving but it stood ready to begin to construct a telephone exchange in Lowell within a reasonable time after a franchise was granted.

At 11 o'clock the hearing was continued for two weeks.

COMMON COUNCIL.

A meeting of the common council was also held last night. It was a special meeting and nineteen member were present. The principal business was the $35,000 loan resolution to pay the court award of damages to Daniel Gage. City Solicitor Qua had been invited to speak before the body in explanation of the matter and he did so at some length. He reviewed the history of the Pawtucket grade crossing and the suit that was the outcome of the construction of the road. He said it was necessary to pay the award at once. The railroad will pay back 65 per cent. of the amount to the city and the state will pay 25 per cent., leaving only 10 per cent. as the city's share.

Mr. Qua said these amounts would be paid by the railroad company and the state in a few weeks.

The city will have to borrow the money and the loan resolution was passed without a dissenting voice.

Resolutions to accept sidewalks in Westford, Robbins and School street and Fort Hill avenue were passed and leave to withdraw was granted on 11 petitions in which the improvements asked have already been made.

A grist of sidewalk assessments were confirmed and monthly reports were placed on file.

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Young Stevens was alone in a class room and just before the close of school yesterday forenoon he took the weapon from his pocket and began to fool with it. Placing it against his face he pulled the trigger, evidently thinking that it was not loaded and a loud report echoed through the corridors. The youngster was not seriously injured, however, his face being somewhat scorched by the powder and the upper part of his mouth being lacerated. He laughed at the consternation he had created and apparently did not suffer to any appreciable extent. He was a pupil in Miss Brandon's room.

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George Burkinhead, aged 11 years, and residing at 141 Middlesex street, and John H. Lussier aged 9 years and living at 1407 Middlesex street were run over on Middlesex street shortly before 6 o'clock last night by a young man who was driving a team at a rapid pace and who, it is said, paid no attention to the little fellows. A street car conductor tried to stop the driver of the team to inquire his name but the fellow wouldn't stop. Some of the girls who were just coming from work from Pickering's hosiery and who saw the accident, rushed out into the street and compelled the man to give his name, which he said was Pinault.

A doctor was summoned to attend the Burkinhead boy, but it was found that no bones were broken. Lieut. Brosnan investigated the case and inasmuch as no serious results are likely to follow, no arrest is likely to be made.

SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING.

The semi-annual meeting of the Men's League of the Paige Street Free Baptist church was held Monday evening and there was a full attendance. Officers elected were: President, Elmer Brennan; vice president, W. O. Brown; secretary, Ernest J. Crawford; treasurer, Joseph Landry. The retiring officers were given vote of thanks. Sub committees are to be appointed later.

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By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—At the Lenox Athletic club last night Eddy Santry of Chicago knocked out Ben Jordan, the featherweight champion of England and the only lad who ever received a decision over George Dixon at the weights, after a little less than two minutes of fighting in the 16th round of one of the fastest fights that has taken place in this vicinity for some time.

Until the knockout Jordan was far ahead on points, but Santry's blows were truer to the mark and won him the battle. The little Englishman made a game fight but only upheld his standing as a boxer and proved that he could not stay the limit with a clever and hard hitter. Santry made the fight of his life and proved one of the greatest surprises of the season. He fought a cool, steady fight and showed excellent ring generalship and is likely to prove a hard proposition to many who aspire to championship honors.

About 4000 spectators were in the club house when the opening bout was put on. Andy Daly of Boston and Billy Gardner of Lowell were the principals, scheduled to go six rounds at 120 pounds. Daly was the aggressor from the start and kept Gardner on the move continually. The Lowell lad took too long in getting set and Daly jabbed the left to the face repeatedly and received the referee's decision at the close.

Another preliminary of 10 rounds at 135 pounds brought together Jim Dunne of Fall River and Percy McIntyre of New York. Both men fought fast but McIntyre, although the smaller, wore down his opponent with stiff body blows, and during the latter part of the bout had Dunne almost out. McIntyre was awarded the decision.

Before the principals appeared the English boxers, Harry Ware, Dave Wallace and Will Curley, were introduced and received a hearty greeting. George Dixon was then introduced and was given an ovation. Jordan was the first to enter the ring. Santry appeared a moment later. Both stripped well but Santry had a slight advantage in height. Jordan was a 2 to 1 favorite in the betting but Santry seemed to have few willing to back him.

SMOKE TALK

AND ENTERTAINMENT HELD IN HIBERNIAN HALL.

After the regular business meeting of Division 11, A. O. H., last evening, a smoke talk and entertainment were tendered by Treasurer Charles H. Molloy to his fellow members and some invited friends.

A very pleasing entertainment was given, the talent being provided by Mr. William F. Healy. The program included piano solos by William J. Cowdrey of North Billerica; violin and piano solos by Prof. O'Rourke; song by Dr. Joseph F. Mulcahy; song, John Kane; recitation by Thomas Kelleher; song, Thomas J. Tobin; song, Fessor Dowd of Salem; solo by Dr. James McAdams; address and song by James O'Sullivan. There were also other songs and recitations which were ably rendered.

Refreshments were served during the evening and Dennis J. Corcoran, who presided over this department was complimented by those present for his untiring work. At the close of the smoke talk an informal vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Molloy for his hospitality.

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138 Merrimack St.

SCHOOL SHOES

Little Gents' Lace Shoes, wedge heels sizes 8 to 13, $1.00 a Pair

Misses' Spring Heel in lace or button sizes 11 to 2, $1.00 a Pair

These two lines are dressy and very serviceable.

J. J. LONERGAN,
215 DUTTON ST.

WANTED.

WANTED—At 212 Gibson street, a woman to do general housework three days each week. No cooking.

WANTED—Millinor. A first class trimmer. Will pay good salary to the right party. Also two good swift makers. A stylish French saleslady. Address to M. A. Sullivan, Bon Marche, Lawrence, Mass.

WANTED—A girl for light office work. One willing and obliging. Address Z, this office.

WANTED—A situation as hostler or coachman. Address Fred D. Forbush, 901 Central street.

WANTED—Twelve first class agents to work in Lowell and Lawrence for the greatest money maker ever known. Anyone who has ever done any selling can sell this line. Call for W. E. McCune, Hotel Richardson before 9 a. m. and after 5 p. m.

ANY LADY having 2 or 3 hours' spare time a day can make $5 weekly working for us at home; nothing to sell. Send self-addressed envelope for free sample. Manhattan E. M. Co., 101 Beekman street, N. Y.

WANTED—At once. Tailor at Leroy Parkhurst's, Chelmsford Centre.

WANTED—Experienced sales ladies at the Boston Cloak and Suit Store at 23 Merrimack street. Call at once.

WANTED—Dress Makers at the Boston Cloak and Suit Co., 25 Merrimack street. Call at once.

WANTED—Experienced house girl. Must be capable and neat. No other need apply. Call at Sun office.

WANTED—Stone Masons and derrick men at once. Apply 34 Middlesex street, room 1, this afternoon or evening, W. H. Ward.

GIVE a good man a chance. Offices taken care of; Horseshoeing done and Window Washing at short notice by good, reliable colored man. Address 52 Middlesex street. Room 4 or 9, T. H. Jones.

WANTED—A position by a young man, painter and paper hanger by trade. Handy at anything. Would like position inside or taking care of tenements. Address or enquire at 79 Broadway. George W. Farley.

WANTED—Thomas Dunn, 168 Merrimack street, opposite Bon Marche, wants reliable domestic help, all nationalities, white or colored.

LOWELL Employment Bureau, 101 Central street, Veteran Office, J. J. Metcalf, Veteran Manager. Good help always wanted. Good situations furnished. Open evenings.

WHEN you want a nice stiff hat and nice fit, come to De Lorme, 261 Middlesex street.

WANTED—Salesman dreaming lithographers, printers, etc., can add line Wheeton N. Y. man earns $3500 yearly. Free outfit. P. O. 1371, New York.

WANTED—Old and young men to bring their old hats to Delorme, the hatter, the only hatter in town where they make hats to order. 261 Middlesex street.

CALL AT GONZALES, the Cutler, 125 Gorham street, if you want a first-class razor or strap. He has the new Xavier razor which excels all others. Razors concaved and honed.

LADIES—Chichester English Pennyroyal Pills (Diamond Brand) are the best, safe, reliable. Take no other. Send 4c in stamps for particulars. "Relief for Ladies," in letter by return mail. At druggists. Chichester Chemical Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

TO LET.

TO LET—A pleasant room where the sun shines in all day, suitable for an invalid lady. Furnace heat, bath, hot and cold water, corner of Tolman avenue and Mammoth road. Rent reasonable. The lady of the house is a trained nurse.

TO LET—Some first-class tenements in all parts of the city. Apply to A. G. Bennett, Room 8, Bon Marche Block.

TO LET—A convenient 4-room tenement. Inquire at 79 Chestnut street.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—A bound puppy Saturday afternoon between Nashua and Hudson, color white, black and tan. Return to 10 Lombard street and receive reward.

LOWELL TEXTILE SCHOOL

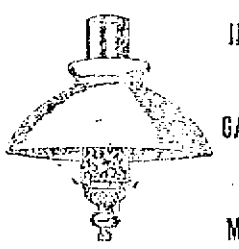
Day Classes Begin Oct. 3rd.

Entrance examinations Thursday, Sept. 28, 10 a. m. at the school. Instruction in yarn manufacturing, designing, weaving, chemistry and dyeing.

Special classes in Art and Textile Design, $15 per term. Modern languages, French, German and Spanish, $8 per term, for both women and men.

Evening Classes Begin Oct. 16th.

Cotton Spinning, Woolen and Worsted Spinning, Designing, Chemistry and Dyeing, Warp Preparation and Weaving. Entrance examinations for new class, Thursday, Sept. 28, at 7 p. m. at the school. Tuition in the evening classes will be free to residents of Lowell. Application may be made by postal card. For further information address WM. W. CROSBY, Prin. Catalogue free.



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That the mornings and evenings are getting cool and that you will have to get out your Winter Clothing? Well, here is where we come in to play. If you find out that your winter garments are soiled or faded bring them at once to the

BAY STATE
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and we will cleanse or dye them and make as good as new at a very slight expense. All work guaranteed first class at

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Tel. 521-4.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE SUN ON SALE IN BOSTON.

The five o'clock edition of The Sun is on sale at the news stand in the Union Station, Boston.

V. A. MARET.

Merchant-Tailor, Dyeing, Cleaning, Repairing, Pressing, etc. Goods called for and returned. 49 Cheever street, Lowell.

YOUR SUGAR BILL

Will be much less if you trade with us. 19 lbs. best granulated for $1.00. Delivered free to our tea and coffee customers. Dickson Bros., 68 Merrimack street.

STEAMSHIP TICKETS AND DRAFTS.

Steamship tickets to and from Boston, New York, Queenstown, Liverpool and all parts of the world sold on the Cunard Dominion, White Star, American Anchor, Allan, French and German lines. Drafts issued for £1 and upwards on Ireland, England and all parts of Europe. English sovereigns bought and sold at Murphy's, steamship agency, 18 Appleton street.

LOCAL NEWS.

Try Horne's Coal.

BURN WILSON'S COAL.

Hot advertising—Stanley's coal.

Have you had Pelham cigars?

Coat Maker Wanted, 49 Cheever St. Telephone 823-3.

Elegant rubber tired hacks at O'Donnell's. Telephone, 394-4.

If you want coal that will burn with the best results, order it of W. E. Livingston, 13 Thorndike street.

Pay your taxes now and avoid interest.

Cook, Taylor & Co., Central street, commence tomorrow a famous special tality.

And now about coal. We can sell you any of the standard grades as low as they can be sold. D. T. Sullivan, 804 Gorham St. Tel. 713-2.

A PLEASANT RECEPTION.

A happy gathering at the rooms of Mrs. Mfunde Swallow, matron of the Bon Marche building, was held last evening, the occasion being in honor of Mrs. E. Greenhalge of Philadelphia. It was Mrs. Greenhalge's first visit in seven years and the dozen or more friends who assembled at the matron's cosy rooms exerted every effort to make that estimable lady feel that time but strengthens the bonds of friendship. A social time, interspersed with song and story reminiscent of the days of yore, passed the hours of the evening most pleasantly. The D. L. Page company served a repast during the evening. A happy feature of the evening was the readings of Mrs. Leggatt who entertained the assemblage with her inimitable impersonations.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

The marriage of Mr. John Barrett of Lowell and Miss Bridget McPhilips of North Chelmsford, will take place at 3.30 o'clock this afternoon at the parochial residence of St. John's church.

A large number of the members of the North Chelmsford Debating society attended the debate of the West Chelmsford Debating society which was held in Marshall's hall, West Chelmsford Saturday evening. The subject under discussion was "Resolved, That the principle of electing representatives to the Massachusetts legislature for two consecutive terms is in the interest of good government.

Messrs. John J. Gray and Walter Finch two well known young men of this village, have gone to Providence, R. I.

Mr. John McTague of Boston spent Sunday with his folks in North Chelmsford.

Business is booming in the Chelmsford foundry at the present time and it is expected that it will continue good for many months yet.

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

OFFICER DUNLAVEY, WHO HAS BEEN DISMISSED FROM THE POLICE FORCE FOR NEGLECT OF DUTY.

MINISTERS MEET

Semi-Annual Session of Andover Conference

AT NEW PAWTUCKET CHURCH

Addresses by the Various Ministers Present

Yesterday afternoon and evening in the Pawtucket church the semi-annual meeting of the Andover conference was held.

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At 3 o'clock p. m., the conference was called to order by Rev. Willis D. Leland and G. E. Hood of Lawrence was chosen moderator.

A. W. Burnham for the committee on program, reported the program as printed, recommending one slight change. The program was adopted with the change as recommended.

A business committee was appointed as follows: Rev. Charles L. Merriam, Rev. John P. Richardson, Deacon Jacob Emerson of Methuen.

On motion of Rev. W. D. Leland, the matter of appointing a home missionary committee was referred to the business committee.

The records of the last meeting of the conference were read by the scribe, Mr. A. W. Burnham and accepted by the conference.

A devotional service was led by Rev. John P. Richardson of Dracut.

An address on "The Clash of the Races" was given by Rev. G. H. Gutterson of Boston. He spoke in part as follows:

"There is great diversity of opinion about the righteousness and reasonableness of war. I have nothing to say about that. But anyone who studies history must know that ideas clash in this world, and when they gather to themselves champions and these on opposite sides meet, human life flows like water and money is of no consequence, only that one should triumph over the other.

"It is not altogether an accident, that this great Congregational missionary society is called the American Missionary association. The word 'American' is synonymous with 'missionary.' Four distinct portions of peoples stand before us as objects of our work, the negro, the Indian, the Mongolian and the white man. No English speaking race ever had the problem before it that we have today, of dealing with the black man. It is a practically easy matter for England to deal with its colonies.

"It is a tragic thought that the north paid almost as dearly as the south, in men and money, for the solution of that great question, whether constitutional government should remain unimpaired in this country. We did not believe in holding slaves, but when it came to the settlement of that question, we in the north had to pour out our blood and money to help settle conditions for which we were not responsible. So in this further and final settlement of it by the peaceful methods of mission work, the burden rests heavily on the north.

"When the Spanish conflict had ended and the smoke of these guns had died away, we found lying out there in the Atlantic a beautiful island with a million people on it almost; a people fallen to our lot, bound to us by ties against which we may struggle and of which we may complain, and wish that there had been no war, but which are tied to us by the logic of God's purposes.

"In your thought and prayer and gifts, remember these undeveloped portions of humanity to which we are tied and while we welcome our naval heroes let us go forth to the more peaceful methods of bringing in the kingdom of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ."

Rev. J. H. Pettee, D.D., of Boston followed with an address on "Forward Movement in Japan." He said that today the home missions are extending the world over, so that it almost seems that there is no such thing as foreign missions. Two or one, they stand or fall together. He made a plea for the work in Japan and said that Japan loves and believes in America. If there were no other consideration, it is our duty at least to offset the evil influences that go to Japan from America.

G. E. Hood of Lawrence spoke for the Massachusetts Home Missionary society. He said that the Swift fund, which has been so extensively used in propagating the work, will be exhausted next April, and he urged the conference to see to it that the churches, where there are foreigners in the community, that need assistance in the support of the gospel as establishment of a mission, will look after these foreigners and be able to report to the American Missionary association in Boston.

"Congregationalism in other English speaking countries than the United States" was the subject of a short address by Rev. F. H. Page of Lawrence. He was followed by Rev. W. A. Hartlett on "Congregationalism in the United States."

Rev. Wm. E. Wolcott of Lawrence spoke on "An Efficient Church."

The evening session opened at 7 o'clock with a report of the committee on business. It recommended appointment of officers and committees as follows: Statistical secretary for three years, John L. Brewster of Andover; committee on mission churches, Rev. F. R. Shipman of Andover, Rev. C. W. Huntington of Lowell, Rev. R. W. Dunbar of North Chelmsford; member of committee of arrangements for four years, Rev. F. A. Wilson of Andover. The report also recommended the meeting of the conference in the spring of 1900 be held in the Highland church, Lowell.

Committe on forward movement of the A. B. C. F. M., Rev. F. H. Page, Rev. F. A. Warfield, Rev. Mr. Oliphant.

The above recommendations were adopted.

A resolution urging that the churches be urged to make one annual gift from either the church or Sunday school, to the American Bible society or the Massachusetts Bible society was voted down after discussion.

A rising vote of thanks was tendered the ladies of the Pawtucket church for their entertainment.

Deacon J. G. Buttrick, who at the spring conference was appointed a delegate to the general association, reported that on the matter of excessive taxation imposed on the various conferences the association expressed its determination to reduce the expenses as rapidly as possible. The large apportionment upon the churches had been largely due to the debt contracted in the establishment of the board.

The devotional service was led by Rev. F. A. Wilson of Andover.

The first speaker of the evening was Rev. F. R. Shipman of Andover. His subject was, "What is Excessive Luxury?"

Luxury is excessive, which tends to enervate the body. What that is, must be largely determined by circumstances.

All luxury is excessive which tends to demoralize the mind.

There is room in the world for a handsome house, room for the man who pays $10,000 for Millais' Angelus; room for the man who builds a Shamrock or a Columbia.

All luxuries are excessive, which dull ones' sympathies with his fellow men and the world's great needs. Nothing is wrongly bought if it is actually used to render one's self a more efficient social servant.

Many Christians of our time live self and silken lives, and there is no likelihood that their numbers will diminish. There is danger that we shall forget the sad cry of the poor and the needs of the heathen. We need to practice for ourselves the system of giving tithes to God.

Rev. Edwin Smith of Ballardvale spoke on "Putting in the Sickle," applying the subject to work in the Christian church.

Rev. G. R. Hewitt of the Eliot church was the last speaker, and his subject was "Fields Already White for the Harvest."

The conference closed at 8.30.

The following churches were represented in the conference by pastors and delegates:

Andover: South, West, Free, Ballardvale, Seminary.

Chelmsford: North, Central.

Dracut: First Central.

Lawrence: Lawrence street, South, Riverside, Trinity, United.

Lowell: Pawtucket, First, First Trinitarian, Eliot, John street, Kirk street, High street, French, Highland, Swedish, Norwegian.

Methuen: First.

North Andover, Tewksbury and Tyngsboro.

The decorations of the new Pawtucket church, in honor of the conference, were worthy of special mention. They consisted of ferns and autumn leaves, a large cross made of the latter standing at one side of the platform.

Interest on taxes will begin after Friday, Oct. 20.

LINCOLN CLUB

MANAGED A SUCCESSFUL WHIST PARTY LAST NIGHT.

The Lincoln club managed a successful whist party at their rooms in the Hildreth building last evening. There were 16 tables.

The prizes and their winners are as follows: First gentleman's prize three pairs of suspenders, won by Henry Boott with 46 points; Messrs. John Orral and H. Trollope tied for second place with 41 points each. The cards were cut, and as a result, Mr. Trollope was awarded second, while Mr. Orral received third prize, a pewter mug and a fancy pack of cards respectively.

The winner of the ladies' first prize, a salad set, was Mrs. Clara Smith, 43 points; second prize, silver spoon, Mrs. William Hounsell, 36 points; third prize, salad fork, Miss Victoria Denault, 33 points.

EXCITING RUNAWAY.

Mrs. Dr. Drew and her daughter, Mrs. F. M. Beede and her son, F. H. Drew, while out riding in their carriage yesterday afternoon had a narrow escape from fatal injuries. The horse attached to the carriage became frightened near the corner of Westford and School street and ran away. Mrs. Beede jumped out before the animal had gone far and escaped while her mother was thrown into the street by the collision of the vehicle with a post. Mr. Drew who had held the reins all during the exciting ride brought the animal to a standstill, but not before the carriage was wrecked.

THE PEVEY MILLS.

Papers in the sale of the old Pevey mill were passed yesterday. The purchaser did not buy all the land. The engine, boilers and shafting were included in the sale.

MRS. RORER

the well known cooking expert, lecturer and authority on pure food, says: "Cottolene is a pure and unadulterated article, and a much more healthful product than lard, and as a substitute for the same I heartily recommend it."

COTTOLENE

is pure vegetable oil combined with wholesome beef suet, and is unequaled for shortening and frying purposes. It makes your food light, appetizing, digestible.

The genuine Cottolene is sold everywhere in one to ten pound yellow tins, with our trade-marks—"Cottolene" and steer's head in cotton-plant wreath—on every tin. Not guaranteed if sold in any other way. Made only by

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Rare Bargains

The two words at the head of this advertisement tell you just what the Central Street Dry Goods, Fancy Goods, Millinery, Cloak and Suit House are doing.

Giving the Trading Public "RARE BARGAINS"

And that means Bargains which are not to be obtained elsewhere and are always found to be just as represented, and that's why they are "Rare." And what was true of our great Wrapper sales a few days ago will be found equally true of the Blankets, Comfortables and other goods, to which we call your attention today.

We commence the Sale of Special Lots of Blankets today. 1 Case of Strictly All Wool, 1 1-4 size Blankets, which weigh full 5 1-4 pounds at $3.60 a pair, actually sold in Lowell and Boston at $4.00 and $4.50 pair. (See them in our window.)

Another lot, full size 1 1-4 Blankets, at $2.49 a pair; actually worth $3.00. Also another case full size 1 1-4 at $1.98 a pair; actually worth $2.50. Also 1 lot Extra Heavy 1 2-4 size Wool Blankets at $5.98; worth $8.00 a pair. Come and see and you will surely buy your Blankets here.

We are selling Comfortables, large size, with clean white fillings (equal to home made) at $1.25 each, thoroughly tufted, worth $1.75. Another lot full size at $1.50, the like of which cannot be found in Lowell.

The Comfortable we propose to sell at $1.98 is simply beyond comparison in Lowell. We will not attempt to describe it, but would like the privilege of showing to you. If you have anything in the line of Blankets or Comfortables to buy, you can't afford to pass us by unnoticed.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

We are to put on sale Thursday next, about THIRTEEN HUNDRED Dozen Goods that are needed by every family in this country. It's a big

"SPECIAL DRIVE" SALE.

and we intended to advertise it this morning, but are too tired to do it justice. Tomorrow, Thursday Morning you will find the advertisement in this paper. We will say here, however, that for the past forty odd years we have been honestly endeavoring to meet the wants of the public and we believe that the sale to commence on Thursday, will outrank any previous one we have ever had. Keep well posted, it always pays you when honest reliable concerns are at the front.

Cook, Taylor & Co.,

CENTRAL ST. STORE.

Queen Quality Shoes for Women, New Lasts, $4.00 Quality For $3.00

SEE OUR 9 STORE WINDOWS.

Bon Marché

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FIRST WINDOW

Blankets and Comforters

One lot Comforters, reversible, and only 49c each.

One lot perfect Blankets, white, tan and grey, only 42c pair.

One lot Comforters, full bed size, chintz covered, only 69c each.

One lot fine teasled Fancy Blankets one price, 63c pair.

One lot Bed Puffs and Comforters, both sides alike, only 98c.

One lot 11-4 Fancy Border, teasled blankets for 79c pair.

One lot dark color heavy weight Comforters for 89c each.

One lot extra heavy twilled Blankets large size only, $1.25 pair.

One lot fine Satine and Silkaline covered Puffs and Quilts, $1.25.

One lot heavy, part wool, blankets, to close at $2.49 a pair.

One lot satine covered fluffy, filled Comforters, with scroll stitching, for only $1.62.

A few pairs left of the soiled all wool Blankets, $4.50, $5.00 and $5.50 for $3.49 a pair.

See our Puffs and Quilts in the window at $1.39 and $1.49, satine covered, etc. Big value.

SECOND WINDOW

Dress Goods and Silks

One lot all wool Tricot Cloths, new weave, 38 inch wide, grey mix, brown mix, blue mix and plain colors, only 25c yard.

One lot Novelty Dress Goods, in the granite weaves, Zebelines and Jamestown fancies, 46 to 54 inches wide, all pure wool, worth 75c and 98c, our price 49c yard.

One lot Venetian Cloths in brown, navy, green and black, full 60-inch wide all pure wool and only 79c yard.

One lot 75c and 98c Fancy Silks for 37c yard.

One lot 50c Fancy Silks for 29c yard.

One lot best 50c Novelty Dress Goods, 40 to 45 inches wide, our price 39c yard.

The latest thing in dress goods is the Finetta Cloth, 46 inches, all wool, our price 75c.

Have you seen our new plaids, all pure wool, at 75c?

See the fine Scotch plaid dress goods just in, that we are retailing for $1 a yard.

The popular Herringbone Cheviots, 50 inches, for tailor made suits are here in navy, brown, castor and black, our price 98c yard.

THIRD WINDOW

Fall and Winter Underwear

Ladies' Jersey Vests, fleece lined, 19c each.

Ladies' Jersey Vests, silk shell neck, gusseted arms, fleeced, 25c.

The B. E. I. Vests, short and long sleeves, fine silky fleecing elastic band on pants, extra sizes and all at the same price. Our big leader at 49c.

Ladies' fine lambs' wool Jerseys and Pants, our best at 75c.

Ladies' Combination suits, Oneita style, button across and down front, our price 49c.

Ladies' Combination Suits in natural wool and white, our price 75c.

Ladies' fine natural wool and white Combination Suits, our best, for 98c.

Fast black equestrienne tights, only 49c.

Children's grey Underwear 12 1-2c.

Children's Jersey Underwear, 15c.

Children's Merino underwear, 15c.

Fine Forrest Mills Jersey Underwear for children, all sizes, for only 25c.

One lot odds and ends children's all wool Underwear, were 75c and over, now 49c.

Boys natural and Jersey Shirts and Drawers, our price, 25c.

Children's Combination Suits, Oneita style, only 39c.

Men's natural wool, 50c Underwear, for 33c.

Men's heavy fleeced Shirts and Drawers, 49c.

Odds and ends of Men's all wool dollar Underwear, white, scarlet and natural, only 79c.

FOURTH WINDOW

Suits, Coats, Skirts, Waists

The Golf Cape is too much in evidence to require description but the demand far exceeds the supply and we are extremely fortunate in being able to show a complete assortment at the OLD PRICES.

The wrapper, that indispensable luxury, occupies a prominent place and the leaders are at 59c and 98c.

We can truly say we are unrivalled with an upward market and increased cost of production. We yet give you values surpassing previous efforts.

WAISTS. The French flannel at 98c to $5 attract attention and practicable and pretty and the mercerized at 98c to $3.98 together with a complete line of Silk Waists, make this department a rendezvous for the ladies.

In our cloak department you will see the ultra fashionable Paletot and the half length Box Coat while the Newmarket in delicate shades of tan is a much-talked-of feature. The natty coats with many rows of stitching, dip front, are beautifully lined and tailored and keep one guessing which is the proper thing.

FIFTH WINDOW

China and Kitchen Ware

Oil Stoves, with pail, complete, only $1.49.

Special Toilet Paper, special price 7 for 25c.

Fancy Toilet Lamps, complete only 69c.

Best Clothes Pins, once more, for 1c per dozen.

Rogers' A1 Tea Spoons, 89c a set.

Good Silver Spoons, nicely finished, 50c a set.

Sterling plated Knives, only 12 1-2c each.

Fancy Water sets, assorted colors, 98c set.

2-quart Water Pitchers, imitation cut glass, 10c.

See our new line of Jardinieres, a large line at little prices, beginning at 10c each.

Lamps, lamps, lamps, a huge line, prices correct.

Call and see our display of Silver, etc., for wedding presents.

SIXTH WINDOW

Walking Hats and Shapes

Large Pretty Quills, all colors and black, only 5c.

Fancy Quills, Aigrettes, and feather Montures, fine goods, only 10c.

Fancy Feathers, Wings and Quills, Pompoms, and Birds, very pretty and only 25c.

Handsome Wings, bunch Quills and Fancy Feathers, our price 49c.

See our pretty Cycle Golf and Walking Hats with long quill, trimmed, a large choice, only 69c.

Walking Hats, Golf Hats, Cycle Hats, new colors, handsomely trimmed, a large selection only $1.49.

Real nobby Golf Hats in brown, navy, pearl and black, trimmed, only 98c.

Children's pretty Tam Caps, with quill, in broadcloth and velvet, our price 49c.

The new felt shapes (untrimmed) all new colors, only 49c.

All the new Turbans and large shapes in untrimmed Felt Hats, at 69c and 79c.

Pretty Grey Birds (whole birds) our price 69c.

Exquisite feathers in the breast effects, at only 79c a pair.

SEVENTH WINDOW

Fine Millinery

Trimmed Hats, 59 pretty ones, velvet with fine trimmings, special at $1.98.

41 pretty trimmed Hats, black velvet with feathers, ornaments, etc., should be $4.50; special $2.49.

See our dainty creations in trimmed headwear, all trimmed exquisitely, should be $5; special $2.98.

A beautiful lot of Trimmed Hats, black velvet with ornaments should be $5.50; special price $3.98.

Resplendent! Hats so handsome should sell at $9 or $10; best trimmings and latest shapes. Special $4.95.

Gilt, steel and rhinestone buckles at 5c to 49c or better still—see our line.

See our leader in black, brilliant ostrich plumes, worth 79c; our price 49c.

See window display of these fine goods.

EIGHTH WINDOW

Boots and Shoes

Men's $4 Box Calf Shoes to close, $2.59

Men's $2 Shoes, medium and winter weights, $1.97.

Men's Dressy Patent Leather Shoes, were $3 and $3.50, to close, $2.25.

Men's $5 and $6 Shoes, odd sizes, to close 89c.

Sorosis Shoes for women, the acme of style and comfort and wear. Be sure to get the genuine, always $3.50.

Queen Quality shoes for women, all the new lasts and styles for winter now in, $3.

Women's lace and button boots, were $3.00, to close broken sizes, only $1.97

Women's box calf Shoes, just the thing for these cool days, always $3, now $1.97.

NINTH WINDOW

Draperies and Bamboo Ware

We have just received a shipment of Bamboo Ware which we have marked very low and it's going like hot cakes.

Bamboo Easels for 34c.

Bamboo Jardiniere Stands, 63c.

Bamboo Tables, 98c.

Bamboo Book Racks, 33c.

Bamboo Music Racks, $1.29.

See Our Chamber Curtain, muslin, with ruffle and only 49c a pair.

See the line of Rockers at $1.98 and up.

We are closing out Pictures. One lot gilt frames which were 79c to go now at 39c.

One lot Pastel Pictures, gilt frames, (slightly scratched) were $1.98, now 75c.

All our pictures at reduced prices to close.

New Idea Patterns 10c, Fashion's Latest Styles, All Kinds, One Price, 10c

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IDENTIFIED

Murdered Woman is Mrs. Frances Boyd--The Story

The body of the victim of yesterday's tragedy was identified last evening as Mrs. Frances Boyd of 297 Dutton street. The identification was made by her husband, Peter Boyd, aged 30, a blacksmith at the Merrimack Print Works. Boyd was taken to Brooks' warerooms by Officer J. B. Crowley, and at once identified the woman as that of his wife beyond any doubt.

He then went to the police station and was put through a cross-examination, and in answer to the many questions put to him told the following story: "My wife and I roomed at Mrs. Denby's boarding house at the corner of Dutton and Broadway. Last night we started out together early in the evening. I was going to see a man named Morrissey about some work, while my wife was going to a pawn shop on John street to dispose of a skirt. We parted at the corner of John and Merrimack streets, and I saw Morrissey. Later I joined my wife around on Bridge street and we started up home. We walked up Merrimack street to Maiden Lane and through Maiden Lane to Market, from there to Dutton and then to the room. We got to the room before nine o'clock and shortly after we got there I went to bed. In the meantime my wife went to an oil stove she had and cooked some soup for me. After I had eaten the soup in bed I lay down, handing her back the soup plate and she sat down and began reading The Lowell Sun. I fell asleep and when I woke up between 10 and 10.30 o'clock I found the lamp burning, the door open, but no sign of my wife. I put on my clothes and went down to the door to wait until the show in the People's theatre was over. I spoke to a man named Patrick Dwyer while at the door. Dwyer had been to the show. Then I went back to bed and woke up at my usual time to find that she had not returned. I heard in the house that a woman had been murdered, but went to my work and did not think to go down to the undertaker's until nearly evening."

When asked if his wife had ever gone out over night before, Mr. Boyd reluctantly replied affirmatively. He admitted, too, that his wife went occasionally, but made an honest effort to shield her faults, when questioned. When asked point blank if he had heard of her keeping company with any man he broke down and wept, but replied negatively.

The couple had been rooming at Denby's since last May. Mrs. Boyd was formerly employed as a weaver in the Merrimack and Boott mills. While the couple roomed together, they boarded apart, the woman preparing her own food in the room, while the husband ate outside. The murdered woman's maiden name was Frances Smith, and she lived in Lawrence, where her married brother, Stephen Smith, now resides. Since their marriage, the couple had never had any trouble, though while the husband is a sober, industrious and steady working man, his wife had not worked much since last May, and was known to drink. They had no children and before moving to Denbys, lived on First street. On Saturday last together they went to Lawrence to visit Mrs. Boyd's brother's family.

Mr. Boyd, while speaking with the officers, explained how his wife came to have a hat bought in Lawrence. Last summer he stated she purchased a hat in the Bon Marche in this city, and afterward wore it to Lawrence. Her sister-in-law became fascinated with it and wanted it. As a result, Mrs Boyd "swapped" it for the hat which she wore on the night of the murder.

Boyd's parents reside on School street near Middlesex, and are eminently respectable, as is he. His wife had been before the police court a few times. Boyd could give no explanation of his wife's action whatever in leaving the house, but holds drink responsible for the sad fate.

Mr. Boyd further stated that the first suspicion he had that the murdered woman might be his wife was at supper time last night when a fellow boarder read from The Sun a description of the clothing. When Boyd heard the description of the cape he said: "That's just like my wife's cape," and he immediately went out and met Officer J. B. Crowley who accompanied him to the morgue.

NOT HER WATCH.

The silver watch mentioned in the reports of the crime if stolen at the time of the tragedy was stolen from the man who accompanied Mrs. Boyd, because the latter's husband stated that she owned no watch.

WAS LIGHT-HEADED.

The murdered woman, it is said, was light-headed upon taking the least drink and her husband believes that she was not a bad woman but went off

MRS. PETER BOYD OF DUTTON STREET, THE MURDERED WOMAN.

with some one while under the influence of liquor. Where the couple lived on Bridge street, Boyd states the landlady informed him one day that they would have to get other quarters as his wife made too much disturbance when under the influence of liquor. Her landlady also stated that Mrs. Boyd had a man in her room but that was the only time her husband heard of her doing wrong and he doubted the truth of the accusation. With the exception of her fondness for liquor the husband states she had always been a good wife.

ABSENCE OF DR. IRISH.

The subject of some discussion yesterday was the fact that Medical Examiner Irish was not called to conduct the post mortem examination. This was due to a misunderstanding arising apparently from an error made in the office of Dr. Irish.

It has been the custom when necessity required it, to call upon Dr. Meigs to perform autopsies. Dr. Meigs has done this work for some time in the absence of Dr. Irish and it was believed that the latter was out of town yesterday. It seems that Capt. Kew called at the office of Dr. Irish, Monday afternoon and was told by the clerk that the doctor was not in and that he had gone out of town and he would not be back until Tuesday.

When the suicide of Michael Kane was called to the attention of the police Capt. Kew telephoned to Dr. Jones and was told that Dr. Meigs had been appointed assistant medical examiner to act in the absence of Dr. Irish. Believing Dr. Irish to be out of town, according to the statement of the clerk, Capt. Kew then called Dr. Meigs. The latter responded and officiated in both cases. But in the meantime Dr. Irish had returned to this city coming in unexpectedly on an evening train on Monday night. This was not known to the police or to Dr. Meigs, however, and the consequence was that Dr. Irish was not sent for.

OFFICERS WARNED.

The officers of the different shifts last night were instructed with reference to the murder. They were warned as to the necessity of vigilance and ordered to arrest all persons who were unable to account for themselves. No definite descriptions of the murderers were given, for the simple reason that they were not obtainable.

LANDLADY'S STORY.

At Mrs. Denby's boarding house Mr. and Mrs. Boyd were spoken of quite highly, the husband particularly so. Said Mrs. Denby to The Sun reporter last evening: "Mr. Boyd told me that the murdered woman was his wife, and I tell you it gave me a shock. I can't conceive of such a thing. They were a good couple, though Mrs. Boyd did drink sometimes. Mr. Boyd never drinks and works hard every day. I never heard a cross word between them and yesterday when I heard Mrs. Boyd singing to herself while at her work, I said to her: 'My, you are happy always singing.' Then she replied, 'I might as well be that way as sad.' Another time when I spoke to her she said that she and her husband lived a happy life and added, 'No matter what I have said to my husband he has never raised his hand to me.'

I believe that some one must have got her to take liquor and then enticed her away. I don't think she would ever leave her husband over night if she was in her sober senses.

MR. DENBY TALKS.

Mr. John Denby said: "I always call Mr. Boyd at 5.30 o'clock in the morning and generally his wife answers, but this morning he answered. When he got up I told him that there had been a suicide and that a woman had been murdered during the night. He then said, 'My wife has been out all night, and she'll have to give an account of herself when she comes back.' Then he went out to work and returned a little while ago to tell us that it was his wife who had been murdered."

The police upon learning of the identification went to work with renewed efforts and sought to learn where Mrs. Boyd frequented, in hope of getting a clue to the identity of the man who walked up Broadway with her. Now that her identity is known, it is not strange that she should be at the upper end of Broadway, for though at quite a distance from her home, it is a straight road from one end of the street to the other.

TWO NEW THEORIES.

Her husband states that when she went out with him she had no money, but got some at the pawn shop. At the latter place it was learned that she had pawned a skirt for which she received 50 cents. Two theories are advanced as to her disappearance from her room. One is that she had an appointment with some one and went out of the house silently and met him walking with him to the end of the street and the scene of the tragedy. The other is that with 50 cents in her possession she was able to procure liquor and went out to some neighboring kitchen bar room and while drinking there met the man with whom she took the fatal walk. Extra police were sent out last night to follow out these theories.

Suspicion at present does not rest with the man who took the walk with her, though it will if he continues to conceal his identity. With that man known and his story heard, the police believe it will be comparatively easy to run down the other three. It is the opinion of all who are working on the case that the dead woman's escort, whoever he may be, is jeopardizing his chances for liberty in the future if he remains concealed. At present it is the prevailing opinion that the first man had nothing to do with causing her death, but his continued concealment of himself from public view tends to implicate him.

DUNLAVEY DISMISSED.

Officer James Dunlavey, once a lieutenant and right hand man of Supt. Davis, and one of the oldest members on the force, was dismissed from the force by the police commissioners last evening, after a private hearing. While the public criticised him most harshly for his attitude in the affair, nothing has been heard stronger than the official report of the police board on the matter.

The report is as follows:

The board gave a hearing to Officer James Dunlavey, who is charged with neglect of duty in refusing to go to a place where a murderous assault was being committed on a woman, his neglect resulting in murder and the escape of the criminals. Dunlavey denied that he saw Bridgford, who said he saw him at Broadway and Fletcher streets, until he saw him at half past one at Gage's ice houses. Joseph Bridgford, Michael McCarty, a baker, and Daniel Donahue, watchman for the Boston Paving Co., testified that they saw Dunlavey at a quarter to one at Lavery's bakery, Fletcher and Broadway, and heard the notification of Dunlavey, who told Bridgford to go and get some one else.

Even when at his box at half past one at the ice houses, he neglected to notify headquarters. This neglect allowed the men coming off duty to go home, when otherwise they could have been sent out to hunt up the murderers and capture them. The board found it was a gross case of neglect of duty and voted that Dunlavey be dismissed from the force. The order of his dismissal was read at all roll calls.

A COINCIDENCE.

A striking coincidence in the case is the manner in which the name of Annie Collins figures in the case. It will be remembered that yesterday a woman named Clara Hamilton was quite sure from the description that the murdered woman was Annie Collins of Methuen, although when she viewed the remains she was positive that the dead woman was not Annie Collins. Last night when Mr. Boyd was talking to the police, he stated that his wife went off about seven or eight weeks ago and was brought home intoxicated by a woman named Annie Collins and a tall woman whom he didn't know.

POLICE STATEMENT.

The police wish to have the following announced for the benefit of the man who was with Mrs. Boyd on the night of the murder. They do not believe that the man had anything to do with the murder and have no intention of arresting him for murder. They believe that the man, whoever he may be, is fearful that he will be apprehended for murder and for that reason is in hiding.

WHALEN RELEASED.

Patrick Whalen, who was arrested yesterday on suspicion of being connected with the Boyd murder was released from custody this morning.

DID NOT QUARREL.

A report was started last night that the couple had quarreled early in the evening in their room, but this is denied by Mr. and Mrs. Denby, whose rooms adjoin that occupied by the Boyds.

FUNERAL THIS AFTERNOON.

Shortly after noon today Peter Boyd, the husband of the murdered woman, called at Brooks' warerooms and stated that he would like to have the funeral take place this afternoon. Though on such a short notice a funeral this afternoon was next to an impossibility, Mr. Brooks considerately put all his men to work on the preparations and the funeral will be held this afternoon.

Mrs. A. F. Webber and brother, C. W. Dickey will spend the next 10 days in Maine and before they return will visit friends and relatives in Belfast, Lincolnville and Pittsburg.

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BOERS MOBILIZED

The First Draft Ready for Battle

ARE SUPPOSED TO HAVE CROSSED BORDER

A Man Held Suspicion as a Spy

By Associated Press to The Sun.

VOLKSRUST, Transvaal, Oct. 11.—The entire first draft of the Transvaal and Free State Boers is now mobilized. The Laager has been shifted to a better position for water and grazing. The generals commandants and field cornets have inspected the various strategetical positions on the border.

A man ostensibly coming from the Orange Free State has been detained here, owing to his suspicious actions.

OVER THE BORDER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Oct. 11.—If the latest reports which are continued from various points in South Africa are true, the Boers have not waited for the expiration of the time limit, but have already crossed the border.

KRUGER'S BIRTHDAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PRETORIA, Oct. 10 (Delayed in transmission).—President Kruger's birthday was announced this morning with a salute in camp and a general display of flags throughout the town. There was no official reception, but the foreign representatives called upon the president. The British diplomatic agent, Mr. Conyngham Greene, was represented by the secretary of the agency. Congratulatory telegrams were received from the president from all parts of the South African republic and Europe.

In the course of the morning, addressing a body of burghers, who called immediately before setting out for the front, the president impressed upon them that they must not trust in themselves, but should place all their reliance upon God, who directs every bullet. "You must keep up your courage," he said, "and remember that in former days, although our enemies were numerous, comparative few laughers fell."

TRANSPORT NEWPORT DOCKED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal. Oct. 11.—The transport Newport, which arrived here from Manila with 463 discharged soldiers has been docked and her soldiers will probably be landed today. The transport was the scene of a continual reception yesterday. All day long tug boats, small steamers and other boats hovered around the steamer and boxes of fruit and good things to eat were continually passed out to the boat by friends and relatives of the soldier.

A BANK OF FOG

Impeded Traffic in Boston This Morning

TWO TRAINS IN A COLLISION

Three Postal Clerks Were Slightly Injured

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Oct. 11.—A heavy bank of fog which hung over the city and harbor early this morning, caused great inconvenience to shipping and railroading, one or two slight accidents resulting. In the harbor it was impossible to see a cables length, and ferry navigation was conducted under difficulties. All moving steam craft, sounded their whistles constantly, speed was reduced to a minimum and other precautions were taken to prevent collisions.

The trainmen at the great yards at the North and South terminal stations were also badly handicapped in their work by the dense vapor. At the entrance of the South terminal station, the 5.30 postal train, which arrived from New York over the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, crashed into a number of empty cars being made up into the Colonial express and shoved them through a rail fence at the depot entrance. The train was made up wholly of postal cars and was going at a moderate rate of speed. No one was seriously injured, although three of the postal clerks were considerably shaken up and bruised.

The names of the injured are as follows:

Eben Thomson, Lynn, head cut; John Beaver, Boston, lost several teeth; W. J. Stoddard, Roxbury, injury to right knee.

The accident caused no great delay to the trains, but many of them were late on account of the fog.

At one time there were nine trains waiting to get into the South terminal station. The accident damaged the tracks and caused a partial disarrangement of the switching system.

PENSION CHANGES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The following pension changes, resulting from the issue of September 22, are announced: Massachusetts: Original: John P. Webster, Haverhill, $6; John W. Geldart (dead), Newburyport, $12; Chas. W. Richardson, Boston, $8; Peter A. Martin, Lynn, $6; Henry A. Searle, Springfield, $8. Additional: Special September 28, James M. Seavey, Roxbury, $8 to $10; Peter A. Morrill, of Lynn, $6 to $12. Increase: Special September 28, Edward W. Hitchcock, Brimfield, $4 to $6. Original widows, etc: Bridget A. Halley, Boston, $12.

Mrs. George A. Roper and Mrs. H. A. Ranlett are in Lynn for a week.

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THE SUN EXTRA

BIG SHAFT BROKE

In No. 2 Weave Room of the Carpet Mills

WORK SUSPENDED FOR THE DAY

John Townsend Had a Narrow Escape

John Townsend, a young boy employed in No. 2 weave room of the Lowell Manufacturing Co., had a narrow escape from being killed this morning. Townsend is employed as a "piece" boy, and while waiting for work this morning sat down upon a stool under the large shaft in the weave room.

After remaining there some time feeling thirsty he rose and started for the water tank. He had gone but a few feet when the great shaft fell and struck the stool where he was sitting, breaking it into splinters. Had Townsend remained seated in the stool a few seconds longer he would certainly have been killed.

The breaking of the shaft caused the suspension of work in the room and all the help was sent out and ordered to return tomorrow morning, when it is hoped that the break will be repaired. The overseer of this room is John Burns.

DUNLAVEY'S CASE

MR. BRIDGFORD CRITICISED FOR NOT USING HIS REVOLVER.

Editor of Sun:

In dismissing from the force an officer whose neglect of duty made possible a murder, and, in promoting one—John F. Henley—whose life was nearly sacrificed in performing his duty, the board of police has merited public approval.

There is, however, a singular feature to the murder of Mrs. Boyd that does not call, altogether for public approbation. Joseph H. Bridgford who went for an officer to prevent the crime near his house has strange ideas of what constitutes a citizen's duty. He says he heard the cries of the unfortunate woman and saw the men dimly who outraged and murdered her. He says he had a loaded pistol in his pocket and yet he went off for an officer instead of making an attempt to drive off the criminals and save the woman. What use is a pistol in the hands of such a man? A little courage, a little of the stuff true men are made of even the bluff of shooting a pistol and giving an alarm, would have prevented a crime. Mr. Bridgford is a glib and nervous man; but more spine and less talk would have been better for the occasion. Bridgford may have acted up to his fine conception of duty; but I hardly think he will ever win a hero's laurels.

Yours for more spunk,
Yellow Streak.

SENATOR SHOUP RETURNS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 11.—U. S. Senator Shoup of Idaho has returned from a trip to Alaska.

"I am opposed to conceding to Canada a port on Lynn canal or any other part of Alaska," said Senator Shoup. "In other words, I hold that this country should contend in season and out of season for the boundary as it now exists, the boundaries that are clearly defined in the treaties between England and Russia and in the negotiations leading to the purchase of Alaska by the United States."

Senator Shoup proclaimed his intention of joining with other members of the Pacific coast delegation in congress in fighting any and every proposed cession of territory to Canada.

FARMERS' PROFIT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 11.—According to estimates made by experts, the farmers of California will receive something like $15,000,000 this season for such products of their orchards and vineyards as are canned or dried. This is an advance of about $4,500,000 over the total received last year.

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ANOTHER CRIME

Mrs. Mary Knowles Fought a Burglar

At Her Home on London Street This Morning and Was Brutally Stabbed With Evidently a Chisel—No Clue to the Burglar's Identity

While the police are yet in the dark regarding the solution of yesterday's murder mystery, their attention was called this morning to another lawless outrage, in which an elderly woman was brutally assaulted with a weapon dangerous to life while bravely struggling with the worst kind of a burglar, a marauder who entered her sleeping apartment in the night.

The victim of the brutal assault is Mrs. Mary H. Knowles, widow of the late William Knowles, who resides with her daughter, Miss Gertrude Knowles, at 48 London street, and her assailant at present is unknown to the police.

The mother and daughter occupy a flat on the ground floor of the house, and a family named Pearson lives over them. Mr. James Carney, the well-known hack driver, resides next door, and Deputy Moffatt of the police department lives almost directly across the street.

The story of the affair is very clearly told by Deputy Moffatt as follows:

"Shortly before 2 o'clock this morning my wife was awakened by screams and loud talking on the other side of the street and she at once woke me. Looking out of the window I heard voices saying that Mrs. Knowles' house across the street had been broken into. I immediately dressed and while dressing some one rang my door bell and shouted that Mrs. Knowles had been assaulted.

"I rushed to the house and found Mrs. Knowles in her bedroom, in night attire, covered with blood which streamed from a bad cut in her left forehead. The cut was fully an inch long and went into the skull. On the center of her forehead was an abrasion. Her condition seemed critical, and I ran to the fair grounds box and notified the police station telling them to send a doctor immediately. In a short time Capt. Kew, Lieut. Brosnan and Dr. T. B. Smith arrived at the house and the last named dressed Mrs. Knowles wound.

In the meantime, I returned to the house and made an investigation. The curtain in the side window of the bedroom was torn down, as was a heavy curtain on a rod in the window, the floor, window casing and sill and the wall under the window were besmeared with blood, showing that a struggle had taken place at the window. There was also blood on the outside of the house at the window and a mosquito netting which had been in a wooden frame on the outside of the window was torn off and lay on the ground nearby. I then went around to the front of the house and found that a front window on the piazza had been tampered with. At this window the mosquito netting had been torn at the catch as if the burglar had attempted to gain entrance by this window, but had given it up upon finding the window locked. At the side window, the catch of the blind was pulled out, as if the burglar in making his escape had caught his clothing in the catch, though there was no sign of torn clothing there.

"The side window was open all night to admit air to the room, and this made it comparatively easy for the burglar to enter. Mrs. Knowles was in a very serious condition when I last saw her this morning.

MRS. KNOWLES' STORY.

The victim of the assault, although making a brave struggle with the burglar, is now very ill as a result of loss of blood and the shock to her nervous system. When somewhat calmed down she told her story of the affair. She said that at an early hour she was awakened by a noise near her window, but thinking it was Mr. Carney, the hack driver, returning home after his night's work, paid no attention to it. But when she soon after heard the noise again at her bedroom window she went to the window and opening the blinds looked out but could see nothing. She then returned to bed but had hardly laid down when to her horror, a man jumped in through the window.

Mrs. Knowles jumped from the bed screaming and grappled with the burglar. As she caught him he made a break for the window, but the plucky woman held on screaming lustily. At the window the burglar lifted his arm and struck Mrs. Knowles a vicious blow with an instrument which she said was about 12 inches long and rather sharp on one end but not sharp enough to cut her hand for she grasped it and tried to wrench it away from her assailant.

The blow on the forehead so stunned her that she speedily lost strength and the burglar jumping through the window disappeared with surprising suddenness.

The police and the neighbors searched the vicinity but could find no clue to the burglar.

An arrest was made but through a misunderstanding. Henry Carney, the son of the hack driver, was awakened and sent for assistance. An officer seeing him running arrested him on suspicion. He was released after an explanation was made.

The weapon used by the burglar was evidently a chisel. The cut in Mrs. Knowles' head was almost as clean as that of a knife.

From all appearances crime is again holding a bloody carnival in this city for local police history shows that an outbreak such as the murder of yesterday has always been followed by at least two other crimes. The second is reported above.

What will the third be?

TWO BIG SEIZURES

Liquor Taken From Centralville This Morning

The liquor inspectors made a big seizure of liquor from a room over Gregoire's stable on West Fourth street this morning. The room is let to Joseph Litch, a druggist, and from it were taken about 30 gallons of whiskey, and wine. Later the inspectors visited the freight depot and seized a barrel of whiskey consigned to Mr. Gregoire, but improperly addressed.

DEATHS.

ELLIOTT—Margaret Elliott, aged 73 years, died Monday at the city hospital.

TUNNY—Harry V. Tunny, aged 19 years and 9 months, died yesterday afternoon at his late home, 5 Simpson place. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from St. Peter's church.

O'CONNELL—Catherine O'Connell, an old resident of this city, died yesterday at her late home, 3, in the rear of 32 Dummer street. She leaves one sister, Mrs. John F. O'Brien, and two Owen and John O'Connell. The funeral will take place Friday morning.

RAYMOND—Joseph H. Raymond, for a number of years janitor at the Opera House, and well known throughout the city, died yesterday at his late home, 10 Concord street. He was 22 years old. He leaves besides his parents, two brothers, Charles and William, and two sisters, Lucy and Addie.

WYLIE—James Wylie, aged 39 years, died yesterday morning at his late home, 53 Willie street.

GAUDETTE—Clara Gaudette, aged 20 years, died yesterday at the home of her parents, 48 Ward street. The funeral will take place Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from St. Joseph's church.

MORNEAU—Marie, aged 27 days, child of Louis and Victoria Morneau, died Monday at the home of her parents, 22 Dutresne avenue. The funeral took place this morning and interment was in St. Joseph's cemetery. The funeral was in charge of Undertaker Joseph A. Albert.

FUNERALS.

WITHERBEE—The funeral of Mary E. Witherbee took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the parlors of Undertaker Savage. Interment was in the Edson cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker Savage.

McLOUGHRY—The funeral of Marguerite McLoughry took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her parents, William and Frances, 325 Worthen street. Rev. Bowley Green officiated. Interment was in the Edson cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker J. A. Albert.

BRAKEMAN INJURED

BY THE EXPLOSION OF A TORPEDO PLACED ON THE RAIL.

The ambulance was summoned about six o'clock this morning to the Northern depot to take a man named Frank J. Wells to St. John's hospital.

Mr. Wells is employed as brakeman on a freight train and on account of the heavy fog the engineer could not make out the signals very readily and the train was running at a low rate of speed. In accordance with the rules of the road Mr. Wells was sent up the track to place a torpedo so as to avoid collision. He had just placed the torpedo on the rail when a train ran over it. He tried to get out of the way before the torpedo exploded but was not quick enough and a fragment of the shell lodged in his right leg.

At the hospital it was found that his right leg was badly lacerated. Mr. Wells resides at 86 Cambridge street, East Cambridge.

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ANOTHER BATTLE

Gen. Schwan Comes Upon Hidden Trenches

SEVEN MEN AND ONE OFFICER KILLED

Bodies of Filipinos Strewn Along the Way

THE MULES COLLAPSED IN THE MUD

The Roads Almost Impassible at Many Points

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO DE MALABON, Oct. 10, via. Manila, Oct. 11.—General Schwan's column approaching this town, marched through a country so muddy that the mules all collapsed, the occupied the time without fighting, the insurgents retreating under cover of the creek beds. Later, reconnoitering in force southward, General Schwan came upon trenches which were hidden, the insurgents poured several volleys upon the general and his staff. The rebels resisted stubbornly. The reconnoiterers, consisting of Captain Geary's battalion of the 13th regiment and two guns of Riley's battery, drove the insurgents two miles, fighting all the way. They found a field piece and several wounded and sick Filipinos flying a red flag and captured 25 insurgents, including three officers. Many Filipino dead were strewn along the fields. The American's total loss was one officer and seven men wounded.

General Schwan's main column started at daylight this morning along a fearful road on the left bank of the river, flankers being thrown far out, and Major Budd's battalion on the right bank covering the flank rendering the fire from the insurgent trenches ineffective. Major Budd returned to Santa Cruz before dark.

The natives seem to be generally supporters of the insurrection, but few have arms. There was much firing at American soldiers from the native huts. General Schwan spent the night at Malabon.

NEW DEPUTY SHERIFF.

Charles A. Eveleth of Lowell has been appointed a deputy sheriff by Sheriff John R. Fairbairn. The news came to Lowell yesterday and Mr. Eveleth's friends are congratulating him. Mr. Eveleth was born in Orono, Me., in 1856 and came to Lowell in 1871. For six years he has been with Shepard & Fuller in the real estate business. Barringa few terms in the common council he has not been in public office.

INSTANTLY KILLED

EDWARD GAINES SHOT HIMSELF BY ACCIDENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BRISTOL, Vt., Oct. 11.—Edward Gaines, a 20-years-old lad, was shot through the heart here this forenoon. Young Gaines was killing a number of chickens at the time and in some way the trigger of his pistol caught in his coat, turning the muzzle against his left side. At the same time the weapon was discharged causing instant death.

BRITISH CRUISER RETURNS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LORENZO MARQUEZ, Oct. 11.—The British third-class cruiser Philomel has returned, after following the French steamer Entre Rios, from Havre, August 25th, for South Africa. The cruiser found no ammunition on board.

It is asserted that all French shipments were stopped when the German cargoes were seized.

DELEGATES ARRIVING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 11.—Delegates to the international commercial congress, which opens tomorrow in the auditorium of the main building of the national export exposition, are arriving in town today. Representatives of forty nations and about 300 of the principal chambers of commerce will have arrived in the city before night. A special train will leave Washington at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning, bearing the members of legations from all countries; Assistant Secretary of State David J. Hill, and a number of congressmen. The ceremonies of the formal opening of the congress will begin at 2 p. m. tomorrow in the international commercial congress auditorium of the exposition buildings.

MISS HOYT AHEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 11.—Miss Beatrix Hoyt has once again demonstrated that her peer upon the golf course is indeed hard to find. In the qualifying round for the women's championship for the United States golf association, 18 holes, medal play, played over the course of the Philadelphia Country club at Bala, yesterday, she led a field of 74 players, representing the best women's golfing talent of the United States. This is the fourth successive year in which Miss Hoyt had repeated the performance of heading in the lowest score in the qualifying round of the championship competition and it only remains for her to survive the match play rounds of the tournament and thus hand herself a quadruple national championship title-holder.

DIED OF GAS POISONING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 11.—Joseph Marksby, who was a member of company G, 1st Rhode Island volunteers, in the Spanish war, died at the Rhode Island hospital this afternoon of gas poisoning. When he retired last Wednesday night he shut off the gas in his chamber, but accidentally left the cock so that there was a slight escape of the gas. When his door was forced he was found unconscious, and lingered until today.

Cook, Taylor & Co., Central street, commence tomorrow a famous special drive sale of more than thirteen hundred dozen goods just bought and to be turned into cash at once. Keep well posted Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

NEW PRESIDENT

Installed at Amherst College Today

SKETCH OF HIS INAUGURAL ADDRESS

Exercises Attended by Many Friends of College

By Associated Press to The Sun.

AMHERST, Mass., Oct. 11.—President George Harris was formally inaugurated as head of Amherst College today in the presence of a large audience including trustees, faculty, alumni, students and friends of the college. The exercises were held in College hall at 2 o'clock. The trustees, faculty, alumni and students assembled at Walker hall, and forming a procession, marched across the campus to the president's house.

Here the invited guests joined the procession, each escorted by a member of the faculty. The procession was headed by President Harris and Rev. E. Winchester Donald, representing the board of trustees and Dr. Edward Hitchcock, who has been the acting president of the college for a year, and Prof. Egbert W. Smyth of Andover Theological seminary. The assembly then marched to College hall, where the invited guests, trustees and faculty had seats on the platform and the alumni and students on the floor of the house. The exercises opened with a prayer by Rev. Dr. Smyth, followed by the singing of "Hail, Alma Mater," by the college glee club.

Rev. E. Winchester Donald of Boston gave the address in behalf of the trustees, at the close of which he presented the charter, seal and keys of the college to President Harris. This was followed by President Harris's address.

The following is the inaugural address of President George Harris, D. D., LL. D., at Amherst college, Amherst, today:

There is one consideration further which should not be overlooked. I have said that the college is part of the system of education maintained by the state. Now high schools have come into existence as part of that system. These schools, necessarily, besides providing classical training, give education in English, history, modern languages and the sciences. It is with considerable difficulty that classical teaching, especially in Greek, is maintained by appropriations from the towns and cities. Assuming that as good a training is given in modern as in classical studies, and that is the case in the best high schools, ought not the college to receive their graduates and to receive them on equal terms? While privately endowed preparatory schools were the only avenues to college, it was easy to prescribe a classical preparation for all. To be sure, that involved what some educators object to, definite election of studies at a very early age. For the boy who was to have more than a common school education it was determined at the age of twelve or fourteen that he should study Latin, Greek and mathematics for eight years, as Professor Eliot has recently pointed out. However, the arrangement was manageable. But now the public high schools educate boys on to the age of eighteen with choice from a broad range of studies, and to a boy who has been well trained in other than classical studies, and who desires higher education, the door of the college should be wide open. It is a duty the colleges owe the state, which is, after all, their foster mother. Indeed, the colleges must do this for their own preservation, because the number of those who resort to the private schools will be constantly less, relatively, as the high schools develop on the lines of broader and better education. For the comfort of the classicists, should they need any, I suggest that, as French and German are begun in college by students in the classical course, it might be well to teach Greek from the beginning to those who, not having studied it at all, desire the much praised advantage of classical culture.

The duty of the college to prepare the man of letters for his place in a democracy might be shown to determine the methods of instruction, that he may be trained to observe and judge for himself, that he may be productive and not merely receptive, that his own individualism may be developed, which cannot be done if he is not put under precisely the same methods as a hundred others are under. But on this I will not linger.

We might also dwell upon the indirect as well as the direct service of men of culture which is needed to prevent the dominance of an aristocracy of wealth. The very presence of a large body of men of culture is a silent corrective of plutocracy. Culture stands above and stands against the vulgar materialism of covetousness, against demagogery in politics, against cant and sentimentalism in religion. Ten men of culture living up to their standards, speaking correct English, promoting education and religion, are enough to save any Sodom in which they dwell from its coarseness and vulgarity. Formerly all students in college were destined for the learned professions. It is well that so large a number of those who are to engage in business are graduates from colleges. They may forget their Latin, Greek and mathematics, and, indeed, pretty much all they learned, as do other students in the professions; but they have high standards, their dearest associations are with old fellow students, they love the college and help it as they can—they are men of letters in the office, mill, senate—in the democracy.

The college community itself is a democracy in miniature. It is the most democratic community in existence. Men are not estimated here by false standards, least of all, by wealth. No student is despised nor neglected because he is poor, nor flattered and admired because he is rich. Talent, merit, worth, character are the dominant standards. Indeed, a student may be handicapped by wealth, may not have as fair a chance as others in the race, must be superior in a marked degree to overcome prejudice. "He is rich but he is a first-rate fellow; he has plenty of money, but he is a good scholar, a fine athlete, an all-round man." Colleges have, it is true, artificial standards. It is not good form to talk of one's self, to wear clothes of a particular cut, to make advances to higher classmen, to associate with professors and what not. In his freshman year, by some trifling act or heedless speech, a man may damn himself so that he never recovers his place. In such ways few men are so cruel as students. Yet, on the whole, men are estimated at their value. Generosity, honor, sincerity, culture, obtain rightful recognition. The peculiar institutions of the college, such as the fraternities, which may be a source of evil, may also be opportunities for checking narrowness, for teaching men to live in democratic relations to all, while enjoying to the full legitimate groupings by affinity. The college is fatal to favoritism, for its principles are freedom and justice, the principles of fair play, the principles of democracy.

The college in a democracy let me add does much for physical type of man—for physical culture. Intellectual goes along with muscular vigor. The Greek and English types have not been surpassed. Yet how large a place sports, games, contests have had in Greek and English life. The indispensible condition of attaining that type is the contest. The runner runs for a prize, else he would not have run. It is possible to make athletes too large an interest. No college cares to be distinguished only as the unfailing winner of games. Yet interest in rivalries has changed the type of scholar from the pale stooping student to a ruddy erect, vigorous man. Amherst was the pioneer in requirement of physical culture and honors mightily the man, as young today as the youngest of us, who introduced and developed compulsory gymnastics. But it would be a misfortune if all were left to the gymnasium. Contests of strength and skill start in a rude, rough and tumble, but evolve into safe, scientific, intelligent play. A faculty should do more than to tolerate sports, certainly should not look askance upon them, but should encourage and regulate them. There is something wrong with a college that becomes indifferent to out-of-door play and does not care to excell in athletic contests. Not only is this interest healthy preventing a multitude of sins and developing the sturdy man of letters; it is good for the country when men of brains and culture and true aristocracy are out in the open, are fond of sports, are physically vigorous—when the man is always a boy. It once happened in the chapel of the Yale University that the preacher failed to interest the students and that they gave palpable signs of restiveness. A professor remarked to the preacher afterwards, "you must remember that two thirds of the students are mere boys." "No," said Professor Hadley, the father of the new president, "that is not it. Two thirds of every student is a mere boy." The proportions may change, but a goodly part of a man should be boy. Here is the philosophy of governing the college. Let the president at least remember that every student is part a boy and try and keep him boy internally."

It seems a far cry from athletics to religion, yet the word holiness means wholeness, health. To walk in the spirit there must be feet and legs to walk on. Body soul and spirit, the apostle says are to be preserved blameless. We call the true type of religion the healthy type, the manly type. The religious man has manly character, is sound, sane, moral, social, simple real. He trusts God and serves his fellow men with his talents and culture and strength in the kingdom of God, which is the christian democracy. Some deplore the fact that fewer students now than formerly enter the ministry. I am not so sure if that it is to be deplored, certainly not so long as educated men mean to render service in society according to their gifts. Let it be understood that all men of letters have a place and a work in the christian state and adjustments of function—preaching, teaching, healing, manufacturing, legislating, governing, will be rightly made.

After the exercises in the hall, President and Mrs. Harris gave a reception at their home which was attended by several hundred people.

Among the college presidents in attendance at today's ceremonies were C. W. Eliot of Harvard; Arthur T. Hadley, Yale; Seth Low, Columbia; William J. Tucker, Dartmouth; Franklin Carter, Williams; William F. Warren, Boston University, L. Clark Seelye, Smith; Miss Caroline Hazard, Wellesley; Mrs. Elizabeth S. Mead of Mt. Holyoke.

PROBABLY COMMITTED SUICIDE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., Oct. 11.—It is believed that Annie Neuberth, the 16 year old daughter of Philip Neuberth, who has been missing from her home since Sunday, has committed suicide. This morning a hat worn by the girl at the time she left home, was found on the banks of Hollow Pond, near Crystal Lake Pond, and it is believed that the girl has drowned herself there. The pond will be dragged this afternoon for her body. It was stated by the police this morning that the girl did not get along well with her stepmother.

FOR MANSLAUGHTER

JOHN QUIGLEY OF LYNN SENTENCED IN LAWRENCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LAWRENCE, Oct. 11.—In the superior court here this afternoon, John Quigley of Lynn, convicted of manslaughter in killing Samuel B. Flanner of East Saugus, was sentenced to six months in the house of correction.

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MEDAL OF HONOR

From the Spanish War Veterans

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Oct. 11.—The legion of Spanish War Veterans is doing all in its power to assist in the welcome that the city and state is extending to the distinguished naval officer who arrives here next Friday night. Not only will the order participate in the parade but will also present him at the most suitable time probably at the state banquet at the Algonquin club on Saturday night with an elegant gold medal of the order. The matter was brought up at the last meeting of the grand muster, the necessary funds were voted, and the manufacturer was notified to proceed to make the best thing possible.

As a result, a handsome souvenir has been obtained. The base and in fact every part has its own special significance. At the top appears the crossed rifles of the two combating nations in miniature but still accurate in every detail. Above is the now world-famous Krag-Jorgensen and under it the Mauser of the Dons. Next is the stars and stripes surmounting the yellow flag of Spain. Between the two flags is the insignia of the wearer, a tiny shoulder strap of the navy with the indicative points indicating the rank of admiral. At each end of the bar is a foul anchor in gold and upon the shaft of each is a silver star with two others on the blue field below.

The base represents all branches of the service engaged in the war, the infantry, cavalry, artillery, the engineers, the signal corps and the navy. In the center is a medallion showing the war eagle of America with pinions half folded clutching in one talon the crown of the vanquished monarchy and in the other the arrows of war. On the reverse side is the inscription:

"Presented to Admiral George Dewey by the Legion of Spanish War Veterans, U. S. A., Boston, Mass., October, 1899. By duty done is honor won."

Upon the receipt of the medal Admiral Dewey becomes the highest ranking officer, the next highest being Major General Joseph Wheeler, now in the Philippines, who became a member of the organization at the time of his visit to this city last May.

DIVED TO DEATH

REPORT UPON SUICIDE AT STATE PRISON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Oct. 11.—Joseph F. Peters, sent to the state prison a year ago last May for a term of not less than eight nor more than 10 years, for assault with intent to kill, committed suicide by jumping or diving from the upper tier of cells in the west wing of the Charlestown prison to the floor on Aug. 28th last. A report on the inquest was filed with Clerk Manning of the Suffolk superior criminal court.

The finding was by Acting Judge J. H. Cotton of Charlestown, who says that the officers of the state prison were not in a position at the time of the suicide to have prevented it, and are therefore not responsible for the death of the man.

The inquest report says that Peters once before attempted suicide last July by cutting his throat. The state prison officials state that Peters was undoubtedly insane when he took his own life. Peters was 27 years old when he was admitted to the prison.

CABLE FROM DUBLIN

READ AT MEETING ON PARNELL MONUMENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Oct. 11.—A meeting of the general committee of the reception to be given in the Boston theatre, Oct. 29, to Lord Mayor Tallon of Dublin and John E. Redmond, M. P., who are about to visit America for the purpose of interesting the American people in the Parnell monument project, was held at the Parker House last evening. The president, P. J. Flatley, presided. He read a cablegram received from Lord Mayor Tallon in response to an inquiry as to whether the reports published in Boston papers of disturbances at the laying of the corner stone of the Parnell monument were true. The cablegram emphatically refuted all the statements in question.

The cablegram further mentioned a resolution passed at the meeting in Dublin, which stated that, "as Parnell signalized the beginning of his political career by a defence of the Transvaal on the floor of parliament, so, also, the Irish people hope that the Boers would be able to maintain their independence, should it be unjustly assailed."

The general committee in charge of the reception, at its last meeting, resolved itself into the Parnell Monument association. Its object is to provide an organization with power to continue work for the memorial from now until the completion and dedication of the monument. To this end, the names of the members of the general committee were enrolled at last evening's meeting. A report was received from the military committee with regard to escort duty by the 9th regiment. It is thought that at least a battalion will turn out.

A delegation from the Irish National Foresters attended the meeting, and requested that they be assigned a position in the parade. The request was complied with.

MRS. STEVENS

SPEAKS OF THE W. C. T. U. CONVENTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—Mrs. L. M. Stevens, national president of the W. C. T. U., and Miss Anna Gordan, vice president, arrived in Chicago today on route to Seattle, where they are to attend the National convention of the W. C. T. U. Mrs. Stevens when asked about the coming convention and matters of interest in W. C. T. U. circles, said:

"The Temple discussion will not be discussed in Seattle. The statement which has been made to the effect that the W. C. T. U. cannot move out of the Woman's Temple and at the same time live up to its constitution is absurd. A by-law says that our national offices shall be in this building. That by-law can be changed by a two-thirds vote of the union. I am strongly in favor of making Miss Willard's home 'Rest Cottage,' in Evanston, our headquarters and I fancy this change will be decided upon at the convention.

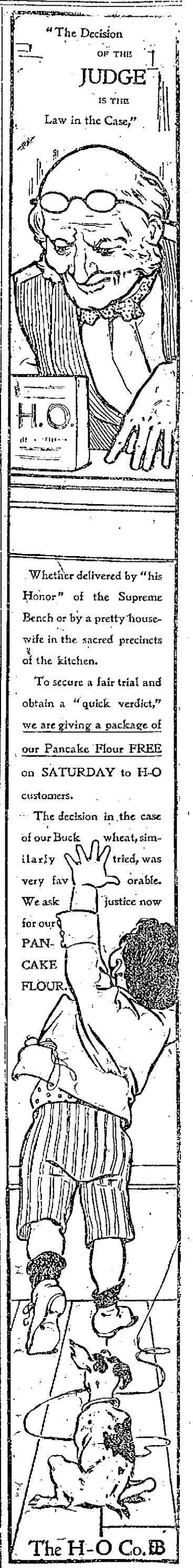
GEN. FUNSTON

SAYS SOME FILIPINOS ARE GOOD FIGHTERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 11.—General Funston when asked what he thought of the Filipinos said: "They have some pretty good fighters there and some pretty good shots, but the majority of them are poor." He added that while some of the Filipinos were intelligent, he did not think they were capable of self-government. He declared that he was not a candidate for the vice presidency and that he expected to be mustered out soon.

Miss Bertha Wilson of Chelmsford is reported to be suffering at her home with an attack of rheumatism.



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AN ABLE LECTURE

Before the Mathew Temperence Institute

BY REV. FR. SHANLEY OF HARTFORD, CONN.

Final Observance of Fr. Mathew's Day

The anniversary of the birth of Rev. Theobald Mathew was observed last evening by a grand temperance rally in Associate hall.

Last Saturday, the people of our city saw several hundred Catholic young men, believers in total abstinence, parade the streets of our city. That parade was a part of the demonstration in honor of the apostle of temperance.

Last evening the public meeting was another observance of the anniversay, and a successful one it was.

The members of the Mathews assembled at their rooms at 7.30, and headed by the Lowell cadet band marched to St. Peter's parochial residence. Here the speaker of the evening, Rev. Walter J. Shanley of St. John's cathedral, Hartford, Conn., the spiritual director of the Mathews, Rev. W. George Mullen, and the president, John A. McKenna, took seats in a carriage and were escorted down Gorham, to Central, to Merrimack street, to Associate hall. There was a large audience present when the meeting opened. On the platform, beside the speaker of the evening, the Rev. Fr. Mullen, and President McKenna, were Vice-President John Lyons, Edward F. Slattery, Thomas F. Lonergan, John J. Galvin, John J. Pindar, William Boyle and G. O'Dwyer.

The meeting was opened by the chairman, John A. McKenna.

President McKenna in opening the meeting, said:

"Tonight we meet to fittingly observe and commemorate the birth of the apostle of total abstinence, the Rev. Theobold Mathew. One who by his earnest and solicitous actions has done more for our people than any one we know. He possessed the courage, conviction and manliness to rise in opposition to the greatest social evil that confronted his generation, his people and society in general. The times and conditions of the people at the commencement of the present century called for a man to come forth who with solicitation and the precepts of moral suasion would reveal to the people the monstrous evil of intemperance, one who possessed indomitable energy and perseverance to arise from obscurity and use his manly attributes and qualifications for the amelioration and improvement of society.

Such a person arose in him whose memory and birth we celebrate tonight. And if we realize and can consider the obstacles which he had to overcome, the contention which was thrust in his pathway, the great change that the enforcement of his views would have upon the rules of society, then we may say that his undertaking was indeed a Herculean task.

He arose with the power, the ability and eloquence that the question demanded, and with the holy consolation of his religion and faith went forth to meet the enemy "in the name of God."

And how manfully he worked. Traveling over the English speaking world, he taught the people of many countries his views of the question with a persuasive eloquence that was instructive and convincing. He taught the inmates of penal institutions the happiness of refraining from intoxicants. He taught the members of our church that this question should be indissolubly connected with our faith. He taught undenominational gatherings that the doctrine of total abstinence was too broad in its purpose to be confined to any one sect or class of people. And what a blessing the infusion of these ideas has been for the people of all countries.

Three quarters of a century have passed away since his views were spread broadcast to the people, but in that space of time wonderful changes have taken place in relation to this question. Society at that time looked with favor upon intoxication, today she frowns upon it. At that time concerted action was unknown for the suppression of this vice, today millions of people in all parts of the civilized world are organized for the alleviation of this evil. This was admirably shown at a convention held in Canada a year ago in the interests of total abstinence. There were there assembled people representing organizations from Africa, with its burning sands; from Iceland, with its icebergs; Germany, Austria, Sweden, Italy and South America.

In this country we have tried in many ways to advance the principles of total abstinence as taught by Father Mathew. And to those who have devoted much of their time and thought to this work the controlling of the liquor traffic by legislative enactment has been a favorable means for the suppression of this vice. Annually in this state, the question is submitted to the voters for solution, they to decide whether the sale of intoxicants shall be legally carried on in their respective communities or not. Last December when this question was submitted to the voters of our city, they decided negatively, and after five months of no-license, while we cannot say that the enforcement of the law has exceeded our expectations, nevertheless, we cannot but recognize the faulty construction of the existing laws of our state, which govern the liquor traffic. Let us hope that we may have a continuation of no-license in our city so that all the people may see the benefits that such a measure will bring to our people and city; for it must be evident to our citizens that the benefits of no-license cannot be seen in such a short time as we have been experiencing it, but must receive a further trial in order to receive the blessings of the measure.

It gives me much pleasure and and enjoyment to preside over this gathering tonight, and also to introduce the speaker of the evening, the president of the Connecticut State Union, Rev. Walter J. Shanley of St. John's Cathedral, Hartford, Conn.

Rev. Fr. Shanley received a very cordial greeting when he arose to speak. From beginning to end, his audience was all attention. He is an orator of unquestioned ability; his presence is inspiring, his language eloquent and his delivery excellent. He spoke on the life and works of Fr. Mathew, and took occasion to make a special appeal to the women to become interested in the total abstinence movement, pointing out that their influence would accomplish grand results. His remarks were frequently interrupted by applause. He said in part:

"This is the birthday of one of the greatest benefactors of the human race: a man who by his indomitable courage brought untold blessings to the people of his generation—Rev. Theobald Mathew. Almighty God bestows certain attributes on certain men to allow them to pursue their chosen work in behalf of mankind.

"Fr. Mathews was allotted gifts of an uncommon nature to aid him in his labors.

That he rightly exercised these gifts is attested by the phenomenal results of his work. He was born of Catholic parents. He was possessed of the grand spirit of benevolence, and through all his life and career this characteristic asserted itself.

He was a Christian, a Catholic, a priest.

Being called to the priesthood, he made his course at Kilkenny, he pursued his theological course at Maynooth and entered the Capuchin Order. He was ordained on Easter Saturday, 1814, and his first mission was in Kilkenny.

He was always looking out for the welfare of the poor. His mission in Kilkenny was of brief duration, and the greater portion of his time was spent in Cork.

During twenty years of his priesthood, he had spoken on temperance, and his sermons, grand and powerful, did not effect the results he desired. It was then he assumed the leadership of the great total abstinence movement. He had seen wives separated from their husbands; he had seen prosperous farmers reduced by liquor. He had seen men famed as legislators lose their place, their intellects blighted by intemperance. He saw the widespread evil effect of this drink habit, and he thought long of a method to overcome it all. Total abstinence from liquor was the only remedy he could see. He saw that opposition would arise on all sides, but he appealed for light, to the Father of all light. In April, 1838, he called a meeting of his parishioners to whom he had ministered for 20 years. He told them that he intended to preach total abstinence, for in it he saw the only salvation from the drink habit. He recited the oppositon he would meet, but he said to his people, if we save but one soul, we will have accomplished a grand work. Taking a pen in his hand, he said, "I am about to sign my name in that great book—the book of total abstinence—and I hope you will folow suit. He signed the book and there originated the greatest total abstinence society the world ever knew. The society grew to 25,000 members; then to 250,000 in a short time.

Fr. Shanley detailed the enormous success he met in Ireland, Scotland and England in his total abstinence labors.

He recited his labors in America, where in 800 cities he administered the pledge to 600,00 people.

"When he returned to Ireland," said Fr. Shanley, "the illness that attacked him prevented him from performing active work. But wherever he moved, in whatever society he might be, he used his influence for the total abstinence movement. Even on his deathbed, when he was unable to speak a word, he had those about him repeat the well-known words of the pledge and gave them his dying benediction.

"Fr. Mathew is dead, but his spirit still lives. The lessons he taught are bearing fruit. Fr. Mathew pledged women as well as men. And in these days, it is well that women should interest themselves in the work. In the old Grecian and Roman nations women were respected when they were virtuous and loved justice. For 500 years divorce was unknown in old Pagan Rome.

But the day came when the matrons of these nations lost their love of justice. Time was when all nations were tributary to old Rome. But Rome fell. That great Rome fell, not from foreign entanglements, but from interior corruption. History may repeat itself; our nation may fall, not from foreign entanglements or state questions, but from internal corruption.

So long as women respect themselves they will be respected. Our women of the early days had good ideas on this drink question. They did not believe in women drinking. Now women supposed to be the cream of the cream, at public banquets, in the presence of men, drink intoxicants. The danger now is that this drink habit may be imitated by women not in this high grade of society.

It is well, therefore that women are interested in this movement.

It is well that you celebrate the birth day of the Rev. Fr. Mathew. It is well that you celebrate the 50th anniversary of his visit to this country. Let his spirit be yours; his was the spirit of Christian charity. It was charity that carried him through his work. It was charity that accomplished his triumph. Let charity be your spirit toward your fellow man.

INSANE MAJOR.

Change of Food Cured Him.

What a determined and intelligent wife can accomplish is well shown in the experience of a certain retired major of the civil war and his estimable wife. For obvious reasons, the name and exact address of the major is withheld but the facts are given by his cousin, a well known lady of Marion, Ohio.

Without apparent cause but coming on gradually, the major lost his mind, and some of the most eminent specialists in brain and nervous diseases stated that he would never recover, strongly recommending the wife to place him in an asylum, although confident he would live only a few months.

Being a woman of much strength of character she refused to incarcerate him, but on the contrary took him to a little cottage along the shores of a little lake for the summer and devoted herself entirely to the case, studied him carefully and especially applied herself to the preparation of food and drink, gradually eliminating what was harmful and substituting nutritious and properly selected articles, with the startling result that in about six months he was an absolutely sane man and in a year was healthier than he had ever been in his life.

She recites that the chief agency in his return to health was Postum Cereal Food Coffee, for from the moment she began using that article in place of coffee, he improved in a marked degree. At one time she left off Postum and allowed him to use ordinary coffee and he had a quick and serious backset. Returning to Postum he improved. Now they use nothing else and are most enthusiastic in their faith in its health-giving qualities and naturally make many converts among their friends.

The relater adds: "At first we thought Postum was flat and tasteless but after following the directions exactly and boiling it twenty minutes, we secured a richness equal to the best Mocha and Java and enjoy it greatly. I have lost that heavy, depressed feeling that obtained formerly and my children are growing fat on Postum."

The lady requests that her name be omitted from publication. The name, however, will be given by letter upon application to the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., at Battle Creek, Mich.

SUPPER AND SALE

AND ENTERTAINMENT HELD BY PURITAN CHAPTER, O. E. S.

The supper, sale and entertainment last night in Odd Fellows' temple by Puritan chapter, Order of the Eastern Star was largely attended.

Previous to the entertainment and sale a regular business meeting was held in an adjoining room. One application for membership was received and arrangements were made for the annual visitation of district officers upon their annual tour of inspection. Mrs. George F. Offutt was chairman of the evening and the committees on supper were Mrs. Benjamin Dunklee, chairman, Mrs. Charles Priestley, Mrs. Mary MacDonald, Mrs. George W. Jockow, Mrs. Binnington. The waitresses were Misses Lizzie Hart, Jessie Farris, Inez Jones, Mamie Burris, Eva Whitney, Queena Briminoglon.

Fancy table—Miss Alice Williams and Miss Sylvia Symonds.

Apron table—Mrs. E. B. Symonds and Mrs. Killpatrick.

A lace handkerchief, made by Mrs. E. B. Symonds was drawn by A. C. Persons. A cake containing 131 raisins made by Sister Mrs. Mary McDonald was drawn by Mrs. E. B. Symonds and Miss Beatrice Hibbard. A silk soft pillow made by Mrs. Whitney of Nashua, N. H., was drawn by John C. Wilson.

Two visitors of the order from Whitinsville, Mrs. Adams and Mrs. H. G. Reynolds were present.

The affair was a financial as well as a social success. The fancy and apron tables disposed of nearly all their articles.

The supper was enjoyed by all as well as the following program: Cornet solos Master James Bell; vocal solos, Miss Sadie Pierce and Mr. James Donnelly; readings, Miss Jessie Lewis; solo, Mr. Harry

SKETCH OF THE SPOT ON PAWTUCKET STREET WHERE THE MURDER WAS COMMITTED. THE STAR SHOWS WHERE THE HEAD RESTED WITH THE FEET EXTENDED TOWARD THE STREET.

IN POLICE COURT

But Few Drunks Arraigned This Morning

LARCENY CASE PLACED ON FILE

Several Cases Were Again Continued

There were four drunks arraigned before Judge Hadley in the police court this morning.

Two simple offenders were released by the court.

It was Thomas Scully's third offense within a year and he was sent to the state farm.

The other drunk was Minnie B. Kennedy, who received a sentence of three months to the workhouse.

The case of Edward W. Jewett charged with the larceny of $1 from Royal E. Whitney, was placed on file, the defendant paying the costs of court.

Antonge Bertrand, charged with being a stubborn child, was continued till November 11. This case has already been continued several times.

Manry Kouga, charged with assault and battery, was held in $200 for trial tomorrow.

The continued case of Henry St. George Martin Bainville and Murdell Fafford, jointly charged with illegal keeping of liquor, was again put over, this time till October 13.

Benjamin Bernstein was charged with fraudulently concealing property. He had previously pleaded not guilty and was defended by D. J. Donahue, Esq. Lawyer Haskell appeared for the government.

It was alleged that Bernstein did not pay for the furniture at once but agreed to pay $1 a week. It appears that the defendant had the furniture but a short time when he broke up house keeping and went to Lawrence where he procured employment. He did no remove the furniture, however. Instead he stored it away in a friend's house.

When Mr. Carter learned that the defendant had left town, he proceeded to find the furniture and was at length successful, but only as far as finding it; for the man with whom the furniture was stored refused to give it up to Carter, without Bernstein's consent. The defendant was subsequently seen by Mr. Carter, but he refused to give up the furniture, to which he claimed Mr. Carter had no right.

It was in consequence of this refusal that Mr. Carter had the defendant arrested.

The court found Bernstein guilty of the charge preferred and imposed a fine of $20. An appeal was taken and the court ordered Bernstein held in $200 for the superior court.

MASTIN CASE

ENDED BY A DECREE OF FEDERAL COURT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 11.—By a decree in the federal court today, the noted Mastin case which has dragged along in the federal court for five years was ended.

The two Mastin brothers, in partnership in the banking firm of John J. Mastin & Co. failed in 1875, catching many working men and women. In 1890, John J. Mastin died and his wife, Julia, became the sole owner of the estate. In 1894 she brought suit against her brother-in-law, Thomas H. Mastin, for a settlement of the estate, claiming that he was using her property improperly. In July, 1894, a receiver for the estate was appointed, claims against the estate at that time aggregating $1,200,000.

The decree today, dissolving the partnership and ending the receivership, orders Thomas H. Mastin to pay Julia Mastin $31,609 and divides the estate of John J. Mastin equally between them. This estate valued at several millions, consists of a vast amount of real estate in Kansas City and vicinity and mining claims in Colorado.

BOWLING SEASON

The bowling season is now on. Last night the fall bowling tournament began at the Wamesit alleys and tonight the season at Les Miserables alleys begins with a match between the young fellows and the Belvideres.

The game at the Wamesit alleys between the Home club and the Wamesits, the first in a schedule of 30 games that will cover a period of ten weeks, resulted as follows:

WAMESITS.

Brainard	147	157	174	478
McCormack	156	147	162	465
Dearth	139	139	153	432
Merrill	119	115	166	400
Gregory	157	156	167	510
Totals	718	714	832	2284

HOME CLUB.

Gale	88	152	99	339
Crawford	118	133	147	398
Farrell	156	130	163	429
Wiley	142	128	132	397
McCurdy	157	141	132	430
Totals	661	684	674	1994

TAKEN ILL.

Mr. William P. Brazer was taken ill in his store this morning and was removed to his home.

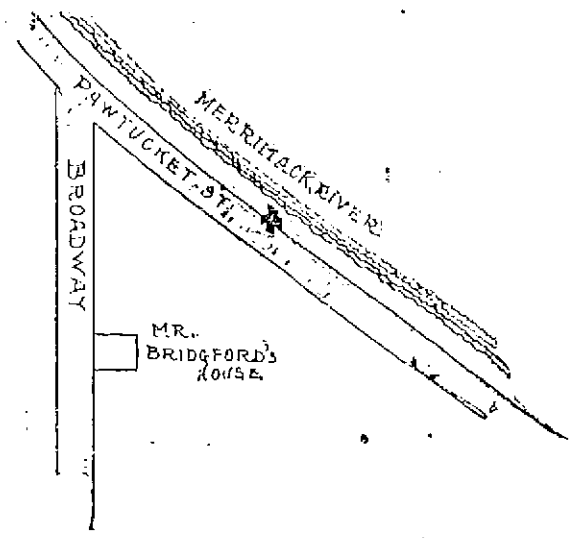

DIAGRAM OF THE JUNCTION OF BROADWAY AND PAWTUCKET STREETS, THE STAR SHOWING WHERE THE BODY WAS FOUND.

THE QUESTIONS

For Candidates For Annopolis Naval Examination

EXAMINATION AT NEW BEDFORD RECENTLY

Of Interest to Local Aspirants for Cadetship

The questions which are appended comprised the examination of the candidates for appointment to a cadetship at the United States naval academy at Annapolis, which was held in New Bedford last Saturday. The papers differ but little from those on similar subjects which are given as tests to applicants for entrance into colleges. The questions are published below for the benefit of future local aspirants for a cadetship.

Questions were asked on four subjects, namely, arithmetic, geography, United States history and English grammar, as follows:

UNITED STATES HISTORY.

1. What is the highest position in the United States navy? Name two men who have held this position. Give a short account of each.
2. When did the civil war begin? When did it end? What states seceded?
3. What effect upon slavery in the United States had the Dred Scott decision? The emancipation proclamation?
4. What is the Monroe doctrine?
5. What is a party platform? A census? A caucus? A veto? A writ of habeas corpus?
6. Write as many facts as you can about Thomas Jefferson.
7. Write about John Paul Jones.
8. Name two important events on the water that took place during the civil war and give an account of each.
9. Write about Dr. Whitman and Oregon.
10. Write about Gettysburg. Where is it?

ENGLISH GRAMMAR.

1. (a) Write a sentence containing a verb in the active voice. Change the verb in the passive voice without changing the meaning of the sentence. (b) How do the two voices differ in use? How is the passive voice formed?
2. Give mode, tense, number and person of the verbs in capitals in the following sentences:

The man who SHOULD BE here is gone. The men who WERE here are gone. The flowers soon withered that WERE HUNG on the walls. He that OFFERS thee a gift is your friend. It is I who AM SPEAKING. It was you who SHOULD HAVE SPOKEN. Some children GO bare-footed. Then ye ARE only five. GIVE me your hand. He also MAY HAVE BEEN hungry.

3. Parse the words capitalized in the following sentences: He POINTS WHAT he was looking for. He THAT HATH ears LET him HEAR. WHAT is stronger than the lion? SINCE my country calls me I obey. THOUGH he SLAY me, YET will I trust him.

"I sit beneath the elm's protecting shadow,
Whose graceful form
Shelters from sunshine warm;
While far around in the heated meadows,
The busy insects swarm."

(a) Parse each of the verbs in the selection. (b) Make a list of the adjectives and tell what each limits.

5. (a) Tell fully about the use of each of the prepositions in the selection. (b) Parse each of the pronouns.

ARITHMETIC.

Note.—All problems must be worked out in full. The examiners wish to see every figure of the work.

1. Divide 648 by 200; by .02; by 200; by .0002 and give the sum of the quotients.
2. How many square feet in the walls of a room 25 feet long, 18 feet 6 inches wide and 8 feet 6 inches high?
3. From a pile of wood 30 feet long, 4 feet wide and 8 feet high, 2¾ cords have been sold. What is the value of the remainder at $5.75 per cord?
4. What per cent. is gained or lost in buying goods at $1,500 and selling them for $1,750 after keeping them a year, allowing $100 for expenses and reckoning interest at 4½ per cent.?
5. Find the square root of 490,849.
6. What is a common fraction? What does each of the terms show? How do you change a common to a decimal fraction? How do you change a decimal to a common fraction?
7. Write and receipt a bill against James C. Crumbie for 1,250 pounds of coal at $7.25 a ton.
8. A drover bought 75 cows at $20½ a head; if 9 of them were killed by accident how much a head must he get for the rest in order to gain 20 per cent?
9. Divide the greatest common divisor of 210 and 1311 by the least common multiple of 7, 21, 28 and 56, and express the quotient decimally.
10. A clock loses 30 minutes a day. It is set exactly right at noon. When the indicated time by this clock is 10 p. m. of the same day, what is the correct time? Give your reasoning.

GEOGRAPHY.

1. Locate Manila, Santiago, Luzon, Hawaii, Ladrone Islands.
2. Where are the Bermudas? To what country do they belong? The Bahamas. To what country do they belong?
3. Name ten important cities in the United States east of Buffalo. Arrange these names according to the size of the beginning with the largest.
4. Name the five states of the United States that are largest in area. Give them in order of size, beginning with the largest.
5. Name in order, beginning at the north, all the states that border on the Atlantic Ocean, and give the capital of each.
6. Where is the Suez canal? The Hoosac tunnel? The Yosemite? Cincinnati? Yokohama?
7. Through what waters did Admiral Dewey pass on his voyage back to the United States? Name some of the places at which he stopped.
8. What are some of the most important coal fields of the United States? What is hydraulic mining?
9. Locate Lincoln, Duluth, Denver, Ceylon, Formosa.
10. Give the width of the zones in degrees, and tell what determines the width of the zones.

DRACUT CENTRE

Mrs. Calvin Richardson has returned from her vacation and is much improved in health. Miss Annie Richardson is visiting friends in New Hampshire, where she has joined a chestnutting party.

The Rev. Mr. Kelley and family have recently moved into the Kimball house at the Centre.

Mrs. Truman Hill has returned from her long vacation at her old home in New York state.

There was a well attended Christian Endeavor meeting Sunday evening. Subject "Work where Christ tells you to." Leader, Miss Bertha Maynard. Mrs. F. I. Kelly was chosen a delegate to the state convention at Springfield.

There will be a special meeting of the Shiloh club at Mrs. Bert Smithson's Friday evening.

The Ladies' Aid society will hold a harvest supper in the vestry Wednesday evening.

Mr. Fred A. Robinson of Dover, N. H., has been visiting Mrs. Bert Smithson for the past week.

The Christian Endeavor social which was to be held Monday evening was postponed on account of the stormy weather until Wednesday evening, Oct. 18, at 8 o'clock. It will take the form of a box party.

CAPTAIN GEARY DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—General Otis has cabled the war department announcing the death of Captain Woodbridge Geary, 13th infantry. He died at 3 o'clock this morning at San Francisco de Malabon from gunshot wounds received in a reconnoissance toward Buena Vista yesterday.

TAGGART ELECTED MAYOR.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 11—Unofficial returns this morning show that Thomas Taggart is re-elected mayor by plurality of from 200 to 300. Charles A. Bookwalter, the republican candidate, announces that he will contest Taggart's election on the ground of fraud. The council and other city officials are still in doubt.

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We place on sale today 50 high grade tailor made suits representing the sample line of one of New York's best makers, the fabrics used in the construction of the suits are Homespuns, Camels' Hair, Broadcloths, Venetians, and Fancy Worsteds. The sizes range from 32 to 40 and there are scarcely two alike in the lot, some are silk lined throughout, the majority are silk-lined coats with percaline lined skirts, the styles are tight fitting, fly front and reefer, the shape of skirts and coats are the most modern to be found anywhere. The regular value is $20, $22 and $25. We will offer them while they last.

Your Choice at $15 Each

Ladies, avail yourselves of this opportunity. It is our one and constant aim to keep in favor with the public and to do that we offer the best in quality and style at the lowest prices. Therefore, in showing you these suits we assure you they are extraordinary value and any first class tailor would charge you more for the making alone, consequently you can count on getting your fabrics and lININGS free of charge.

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BROKE THE TIE

The Bostons Won From the Philadelphias

LEWIS WAS IN FINE FORM

The Phillies Could Not Hit Him

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 10.—The champions broke the tie with the Phillis for second place yesterday and incidentally whitewashed the Quakers.

The last local game of the season drew out nearly 700 enthusiasts who were disgusted at the work of the Phillies when contrasted with that of the Bostons.

It was Lewis against Donahue and though the former was hit slightly harder than the latter, it was when Quaker runners were on bases that Lewis showed up best. He had speed to burn, and invariably pulled his team through safely whenever it looked promising for the Phillies to score.

Donahue pitched well, too, but his clever work could not offset the sloppy work of Dolan or the errors of Cross and McFarlan, errors that figured very largely in the champions' run getting.

The fielding of Boston was gilt-edged, Tenney making a great catch of Child's liner and doubling up Delehanty. Just when it looked as though the Quakers were going to have a batting rally, Duffy also made several nice catches, and Long and Lowe made good stops.

The score by innings:

Boston	2	1	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	—6

Earned runs—Boston 2. Two-base hits—Tenney, Stahl. Three-base hits—Delehanty, Dolan. Home run—Long. Sacrifice hits—Long 2. Stolen bases—Flick, Duffy. Left on bases—Boston 5, Philadelphia 6. Struck out—By Lewis 5, by Donohue 2. Double plays—Long, Lowe and Tenney; Tenney (unassisted). First base on errors—Boston 1. First base on balls—Off Donohue 2, off Bernhard 1. Umpires—Emslie and Dwyer. Time—1h. 55m.

The other games resulted as follows:

At Brooklyn—New York 5, Brooklyn 8.
At Baltimore—Baltimore 5, Washington 5, (six innings.)

The St. Louis Cincinnati game was postponed on account of rain.

LOCKS AND CANALS

WILL RAISE FLASHBOARDS AT PAWTUCKET FALLS.

The annual meeting of the Pennichuck Water Works was held at the office of the company at Nashua, N. H., at 10 o'clock Monday forenoon.

On motion of G. F. Andrews the president was authorized to execute a deed to the proprietors of the locks and canals on the Merrimack river, conveying the right to put and maintain upon their dam at Lowell flashboards two feet higher than the present level.

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Via Londonderry.

From company's Pier, foot West 21st St., New York.

Numidian, Oct. 7, Nov. 11. State of Nebraska Oct. 14, Nov. 18. Mongolian Oct. 28, Dec. 2.

First Cabin, $45 to $65 single, $85 to $117 round trip. Second cabin, $30 single, $57 return. Steerage, $23.50; prepaid, $24.

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For descriptive circulars, plans of steamers and other information, apply to H. & A. Allen, 92 State street, Boston, or

Dennis Murphy, 18 Appleton St.

DECISIVE BATTLE

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS IN VENEZUELA PROVE FRUITLESS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The state department has received the following cablegram from the U. S. minister to Venezuela announcing the failure of the peace negotiations that have been in progress for the last five days between the government and the insurgents:

"Caracas, Oct. 10, 1899.

"Secretary of State, Washington:

"Negotiations suspended today. Venezuelan forces will be advanced. A decisive battle fully expected this week. Puerto Cabello quiet.

(Signed) "Loomis."

GOING TO EUROPE.

The following Lowell people are booked through Murphy's steamship agency to sail from Boston today on the steamer Canada for Queenstown and Liverpool: Mr. John Dolan, Richard Heap, Daniel Stevenson, Miss Maggie Murray, Mrs. Rachel McDermott and Mrs. Joseph Scholefield.

WANTED—A situation as a general housekeeper or housework of any kind in small family. Address "H," Sun office.

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I fear your skinny hand
Will pour an imitation out
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We bought before the advance and can sell you a solid oak 6 ft. Extension Table for $5.50, as long as they last.

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THE MAN WHO DARED.

At the ratification meeting of the Middlesex republican club immediately after the republican state convention, Attorney General Knowlton took occasion to answer all the criticisms hurled against him on account of his decision that an unlicensed fireman has a right under the law to work under the direction of a licensed fireman. Although Judge McDonough of Fall River decided otherwise, the attorney general held to his opinion and stated that no corporation, no political party and no power of any kind could induce him to give a legal opinion contrary to his conviction as to the true interpretation of the law. He intended to live and to act he said so that when he dies his friends can find no epitaph more appropriate than "The man who dared." No doubt this suggestion will be remembered by his friends after he dies and whether deserved or not, place the above upon his tombstone, that is, if he has one; and plenty of better and more deserving men are nowadays buried and forgotten without any such luxury as a tombstone. Should the attorney general, however bequeathe the necessary amount for this purpose, no doubt it would be duly expended and whatever inscription desired would be duly placed thereon at the usual rates. We do not think that the attorney general will ever be regarded as a public benefactor notwithstanding the fact that he is a very excellent office holder.

THE MURDER.

The murder committed in this city yesterday morning is one which while not deliberately planned was nevertheless one of the most foul that can be imagined. What business had the woman out at such an hour of the night is known; it might be legitimate or it might not; but the fact that she was out was no justification for an assault upon her, much less a murder. The action of Officer Dunlavey in refusing to go to the scene when notified of the murder is reprehensible in the highest degree unless he was complying with the rules of the department in refusing to go. The fact that he has been dismissed indicates otherwise. Should the police fail to find any clue to the murderers this refusal of Officer Dunlavey to go to the call of Mr. Bridgford will take a more serious aspect. The murder, like some of the other crimes which shocked the community within the past year, indicates that there are some dangerous characters in the city which only the strictest vigilance of the police can drive out. It is to be hoped that Supt. Davis will succeed in capturing the guilty parties before they leave the city.

England sent her ultimatum to the Boers some time ago and now the Boers have sent their ultimatum to England. They demand that England shall withdraw all the troops landed in South Africa since the Bloemfontein conference but they might as well ask England to clear out of South Africa altogether.

Mark Hanna says it is an insult to Admiral Dewey to mention his name so often in connection with the presidency but if he had not on hand the contract of re-electing President McKinley, he would take a different view of the matter. The ordinary citizen will be hard to convince that any man can be insulted by the mention of his name for the highest office in this republic.

Charles R. Saunders of Boston is said to be gaining ground on Representative Myers in the speakership contest. The latter hopes to win by getting Willard Howland, the man who managed Mr. Bates' campaign to steer him into the speaker's chair. But no management, however efficient, can force the representatives to elevate Myers to the speakership.

Our troops in the Philippines are taking new towns but as soon as they vacate, the natives will return.

Again the breezes failed yesterday, and the judges wisely declared the race off early in the day rather than run the risk of a fourth fluke. It seems that the harbor selected for the contest is not as breezy as many others along the coast. Why not try Marblehead or Newport, R. I.?

The insanity plea is being used in the case of John Roberts, the Lawrence murderer. As one of the experts to examine Roberts examined Joe Kelley, the New Hampshire murderer, and found him mentally unsound, it is not improbable that they will find germs of insanity in Mr. Roberts.

The colleges have their degrees ready to confer upon Admiral Dewey. While the admiral is loaded down with genuine honors, he is not going out of his way to pick up such empty bubbles as the titles the colleges confer for advertising purposes.

An advisory bureau is to be established in the navy department and Admiral Dewey is to be there to advise the secretary of the navy. Better have it in the White House and let Dewey advise the president.

If ever the jingoists of this country organize they should make Congressman Knox their president, inasmuch as he leaps the highest and shouts the loudest when proclaiming our right and our ability to shoot the Filipinos.

President McKinley is in full accord with the movement to purchase for Admiral Dewey a splendid residence; but he does not want him to be made the head of the White House.

Again Lowell is shocked by one of the foulest tragedies that ever occurred within her borders. It will be a blot upon the reputation of our police force if the culprits escape.

There will be a great rush to Boston to see Admiral Dewey. It will be easy to see him Saturday in the parade, but if it be a holiday the streets will be badly crowded.

It is now probable that Admiral Schley will also have a home as a gift from the American people.

BASE BALL.

Brooklyn cannot excel the record of the Bostons for '98.

McGinnity struck out seven of the Washingtons Saturday—a great performance.

Billy Robinson of the Baltimores has played in more games than any league catcher.

Pittsburg's winning of four straight victories in St. Louis was one of the finest performances of the season.

In Saturday's game with the New Yorks at Brooklyn, New York had three men on bases and none out in the third inning and could not score.

McGraw has been assessed more dollars in fines than any other player in the league. Parenthetically, it may be said that he does not have to pay his fines, so what's the use?

The chances are that all the men most interested will deny the truth of the assertion that the diplomatic Brush has practically parted company with Hart and Robison and cast his fortunes with the Freedman faction. But every word of it is true.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

President Ban Johnson of the Western league has entered an indignant denial of the story that President Young of the National league was to be shelved and Johnson placed in his stead. He says he would not desert the Western league; that no offer has ever been made, and that he has not heard of such a proposition.

The deciding game between teams of the Congress Hall Outing club was played Sunday near Wellesley, and "Bobby" Wheelock's team beat "Duper" Shaw's aggregation 5 runs to 1. Shaw pitched finely, and was well supported by Catcher McKegan, but the fates were against him. Sam Maxwell did the catching for the winners.

Anson says: "The Spaldings and Harts thought they had finished me when they crowded me out of the game. But they failed. They really did me a kindness. I am making more money than I ever did, and I have no one to yell at me. There is plenty of time for me to have a club and I am going to have one. The league may talk about fighting us, but I will bet that we hardly get a start before they will be glad to recognize us. I am willing to risk the popularity of my club against the Chicago club."

The Chicago Inter-Ocean says of the pitching wonder of the day, Waddell of Louisville: "The 'rube' is a tall, deep-chested, long-armed country boy, who during his career on the village green picked up a varied assortment of curves, drops and benders. In addition to this he has as good an arm and almost as much speed as Amos Rusie. For a youngster he has fair control, and if he can only gain control of his rather exuberant spirits and use his head he will undoubtedly prove the pitching find of the year."

Astounding things are promised before another baseball league season sets in. Following closely upon the intelligence of the love feast, in which Messrs. Soden, Freedman and Brush participated, comes the intelligence that Nick Young, who has been an official ever since there was a representative base ball organization, is to be decapitated. The Chicago Inter-Ocean of Thursday last had the following on the matter:

"'Citizen' Nicholas Young's official days as president of the National league are numbered. The worthy magnates who control the premier base ball organization have at last realized that the venerable Mr. Young is not the man to lead the proposed base ball revival, and have decided to make a change.

"The deposing of Nick Young and the selection of his successor furnished one of the topics for discussion at the recent after-dinner conference, or, to be exact, 'love feast,' held at the Waldorf-Astoria, and in which the good Mr. Brush of Cincinnati, the bad Mr. Freedman of Gotham, and the perturbed Mr. Soden of Boston participated. Men who are familiar with the inside workings of National league politics know that Freedman does not like President Young's methods of conducting the business of the league. Freedman has repeatedly said that Young was nothing more or less than a figure-head. He has criticised Uncle Nick's appointments and his rather weak management of umpires. Less than six months ago he made the statement that the best way to begin to reorganize the league was to elect a new president. Word comes from New York that Brush and Soden, in their eagerness to get Freedman into line, not only granted his demand that Young be removed, but went so far as to discuss with Freedman the strong and weak points of the two men who have been suggested as Young's successors. Just what decision, if any, was reached it is difficult to say, but this much is certain. At the coming meeting of the league Young will be asked to resign and a new president will be elected. The chances are more than even that a western man will be offered the position."

So the worthy head of the league is to be immolated. It is well known that Freedman has no love for him. President Soden had his confidence in the head of the league shaken when the Sunday games were lifted from Louisville at the adjourned schedule meeting, and President Young neglected to tip off his Boston friend as to what was going on. It will be no easy matter to provide an official as thoroughly competent, painstaking, honest and popular as Mr. Young. His greatest fault is that he has striven to please everybody.

The last week of the base ball season began Monday and local lovers of the game will draw a long breath of relief, says the New York Journal. Nothing could be more disgraceful than the showing made by the New York players, who see Giants only in their ability to make errors and lose games.

The majority of their exhibitions have been a burlesque on the national game—a comedy of errors.

During the winter months there will be many sensations in the base ball world and important changes made in the make-up of several teams.

One that promises to be the most sensational and which is being freely talked about in Boston is the transfer to this city of the entire Boston team as it stands now and the removal to the Hub of the Giants.

Manager Selee, of the Bostons, is of the opinion that the Giants, under proper management and with two or three additions, can be made a one, two, three winner.

EXAMINING ROBERTS

ALLEGED LAWRENCE MURDERER SAID TO BE INSANE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LAWRENCE, Oct. 11.—John Roberts, the alleged murderer of Marin Fletcher, who is awaiting trial, is to be examined this week in regard to his sanity.

The counsel for the defendant, Lawyers William J. Bradley and Fred T. Sherman, drew up a petition which was presented at the superior court last Thursday, asking that they be permitted to employ experts to inquire into the mental condition of the defendant and ascertain whether or not he was sane.

After due consideration the court granted the request, and Friday defendant counsel went to Boston and procured the services of two eminent physicians, and it is intimated the examination will take place Tuesday.

It is understood one of the experts who will examine Roberts was engaged in the famous Kelley murder case in New Hampshire some time ago.

CRISP GOSSIP.

A legal contest which is promised in Fall River presents some interesting features, says the Brockton Times. Ann Pierce and her granddaughter, Mary Coup, have been living in the same tenement on North Main street, in a house which is owned by Mrs. Pierce. They had trouble over rent money and Mrs. Coup moved out, taking all her furniture except her piano. When she returned for the instrument a day or two later she found that the instrument had been hacked to pieces and thrown into the back yard. Most of the neighbors living in the immediate vicinity of the Pierce house say that at a late hour at night they were aroused from their slumbers by such sounds as never before came from a piano, and it was not surprising when it was learned that the piano in question was being played with an axe in an angry woman's hands. When the axe severed the strings of the lower register there arose sounds not unlike heavy artillery in action, while the severing of the upper register strings gave forth sounds much like the discharge of a rapid fire gun; and there were other sounds.

PUBLIC MONEY

IN CUBA SAID TO BE UNSAFE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 11.—Reports from Cuba show that millions of dollars of public money in the hands of pay officers has had inadequate protection. Major Dodge, chief paymaster of Havana, says in a report:

"One of the annoyances connected with duty in this division has been the need of a proper depository for public funds. Often there has been nearly a million dollars on hand held under guard in insecure field safes for months at a time. These safes, too, or at least one pattern of them were unsuited for the purpose and are less secure than an ordinary wooden box. One paymaster, upon receiving his chest from the express company, found it open, the screws attaching the bolt to the lock having fallen out and the bolts themselves had dropped back of their own weight. There was about $45,000 in the safe at this time."

Major Dodge says there has been considerable complaint against New York checks which are subject to discount throughout the island. Officers and discharged men have been mulcted of considerable portions of their pay on this account. There has been no way of obviating the trouble. He urges this as additional reason for a government depository.

FORBIDEN BY LAW

JEWELRY WORKERS AT ATTLEBORO WISH TO DO MORE WORK BUT CANNOT.

The state police inspectors have come out with the statement that the first manufacturing jeweler in Attleboro, North Attleboro, Plainville, Falls Village or in any other jewelry making centre caught violating the labor laws of the state will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

This plain statement was due to the fact that manufacturers had signed a petition for the exemption of manufacturing jewelers from the operations of the law. The Attleboro manufacturers have an idea the law was framed for mill centres and was not intended to include jewelry making localities, where overtime work has not been complied until recently.

The effects of the state police hearing that a boom had struck Attleboro advanced upon the town with their badges of authority and proceeded to give orders. The persistency with which the officers have taken the matter in hand will drive many manufacturers to hire a double force, one for day work and another for night. Many day hands want to work while the rush is on, but they cannot work over 58 hours each week. If they do the law will be upon them with both hands.

The situation has caused much comment in Attleboro as to the laws on the state's books and their workings.

SERIES OF SOCIALS.

The Mutual club a well known literary organization, held another of their series of socials Tuesday night at the home of Mr. Charles N. Bagley, 217 Gorham street, their president, and a good time was enjoyed by all. The club consists of 12 members but there were many friends of the members present also. A fine supper was served and several good readings were given. The D. L. Page Co. catered.

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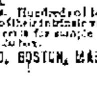

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THE SOCIALISTS

Held Interesting Conference at Hanover

THEY COMPLAIN OF THE LAWS

Delegates From Five European Countries

By Associated Press to The Sun.

HANOVER, Oct. 11.—The tenth annual Socialist conference since the repeal of the socialist laws opened yesterday morning in the Bamhof, which is tastefully decorated with laurel wreaths, red banners and the escutcheons of various German cities. In the centre, grouped amid ferns and flowers, around an allegorical figure of liberty, are busts of Ferdinand Lassalle, the originator of the social-democratic movement in Germany; of Karl Marx, the chief of international socialism, and of Engels. Places are provided for the police commissioners and policemen who attend the proceedings on behalf of the government. Among those in attendance are representatives of Holland, Sweden, Switzerland and Austria, the Austrian delegates including Dr. Adler, who, toward the end of this month, must enter upon a term of four weeks' imprisonment to which he was recently sentenced.

The delegates sit at tables, ranged along the whole length of the hall. The scene presents rather the appearance of students at a symposium than of an assembly of workingmen representing at least one-fourth of the population of Germany.

Herr Singer was unanimously elected president. After the formal proceedings an animated discussion arose over the question whether the committee had acted in the interests of socialism in excluding from the "List of Martyrs" published in the Vorwaerts, the socialist organ, the laborers condemned for taking part in the Dresden riots. A Saxon delegate hotly denounced the action of the committee and was repeatedly called to order. The question was shelved by a decision that the matter had been adequately threshed out.

The Dresden, Mecklenburg, Stuttgart and Munich delegates then moved that an interpellation be submitted to the Reichstag regarding the police prohibition of the dissemination of pamphlets containing electioneering arguments in streets and public places, and also regarding the action of the distribution of socialist literature on Sunday, because of which prohibition many socialists have been fined for privately distributing their party's organs.

Herr Bebel contended that an interpellation was impossible in the absence of specific data. The motion was rejected.

Herr Liebknecht exhorted the socialists to take as active a share as possible in the international socialist congress to be held in Paris in 1900.

This was approved and the conference adjourned.

BOXING GOSSIP.

If Jim Jeffries is defeated in the coming championship battle with Tom Sharkey at Coney Island, October 27th, it will not be through lack of training or over confidence. Never before did a champion train more conscientiously for an encounter than the big Californian is doing for his bout with the sailor.

While the champion expects to defeat Sharkey in the same decisive manner that he did Robert Fitzsimmons, when he won his present title, he does not intend to take any chances. The sole aim of the Californian at the present time is the improvement of his condition. He believes if he enters the ring in good physical form the result of the bout will be assured.

Although deeply interested in his work, Jeffries always finds time to joke or chat with his friends, but fight is never discussed.

Jeffries goes through his daily routine schedule at Asbury park like a school boy and he seems to enjoy it. He regards his work as a pleasure, saying it is a grand pastime for one who is not averse to taking a little strong exercise. He is well satisfied with the result of his preparatory work and on Monday he will begin his final training.

Tommy Ryan is expected to be on hand then, and instead of Jeffries' taking a long run in the afternoon Ryan will be asked to go several rounds with him.

Ryan, it will be remembered, assisted Jeffries in his fight with Fitzsimmons and taught the champion many fine points of the game.

Another addition to the Jeffries camp is Ernest Roeber, the champion wrestler. Roeber wrestled with the champion yesterday and will, in the future, spar a few rounds with him each day, so as to give him strength in the clinches and breakaways, as Jeffries knows he is going against one who uses rough tactics throughout a contest.

Jeffries's careful preparation is evidence that he does not underestimate Sharkey and expects a hard battle.

This week the training schedule is changed, the road runs taking place in the morning, while the afternoon will be devoted to gymnasium work.

Tom Sharkey is rapidly getting into shape for his bout with the champion. He has introduced several novelties to relieve the monotony of training camp life and has arranged to vary his schedule from day to day.

As Sharkey has been in active training for some time he has decided to take it easy for another week, when he will start to harden himself a little. He is already down to weight, and would, no doubt, be prepared to enter the ring at short notice if necessary.

Instead of spending so much time in running, Sharkey has had his bicycle sent down to New Dorp and can be seen any fine morning scorching along the shore road of Staten Island. He believes wheeling helps to relieve the tedium during the monotony of training, but he also realizes cycling has its dangers and that he must be very careful to guard against an accident that might diminish his chance of victory.

It is said that Robert Armstrong, Sharkey's sparring partner, is seriously thinking of getting out of the sailor's camp. The going has been too fast for the big negro, and unless Sharkey lets up a little in the fury of his attacks his chocolate-colored assistant will be obliged to quit.

Peter Maher has been matched to fight "Big Ed." Dunkhorst in a ten-round bout at the Monarch A. C. of Syracuse, Oct. 23d. On paper Maher looks an easy winner. Dunkhorst never showed any championship form, but he has shown a remarkable ability to take an awful punching. He can punch a bit himself, too, and on this account not a few expect him to put up an interesting argument with Maher. The latter has lost none of the ability that brought him into prominence as a fighter. He can punch as hard, if not harder than any man in the ring. Syracuse sports are of the opinion, however, that he won't be able to hurt Dunkhorst. Charlie White will referee the bout.

Martin Flaherty is again in fighting form and is going to make the best of the lightweights hustle for honors this winter. The terrible thrashing he administered to Jack Downey and his victory over Tommy Hogan at St. Louis Monday night stamps him as one of the best lightweights in the country.

Flaherty is now a full-fledged lightweight and a worker, too. He scales the lightweight limit easily and if his two last fights are to be taken as criterions he is fighting better than he ever did as a featherweight.

The goal of Flaherty's ambition now is to win the championship. He is now in line to meet Frank Erne, the present holder of the title, but the only champion, it seems, is not very anxious of trying conclusions with the Spindle City lad again. The Lowell boy, as is well known, is the only fighter in the game who has ever conquered the champion and he did the trick in polished style, too. If a match between Flaherty and Erne was made for the lightweight championship of the world, it would prove a great battle, and when it is over it would not be a bit surprising if there is a new lightweight champion. Martin beat him before and it was a clean cut victory, too. He has surely improved as much as Erne since their last meeting.

Martin will return to Lowell this week. His next opponent will in all probability be his old rival "Spike" Sullivan of Boston. They may be matched shortly to meet at either the Broadway or Lenox club.

CYCLING NEWS

Eddie McDuffee has arrived in Chicago, where he intends to go against two mile records; his own of 1.28 on the Garfield Park track, and the one mile record, straightway, on one of the level boulevards in that vicinity.

Charles Mack of the Century Road club, who reduced the New York to Philadelphia record last Sunday to five hours, 45 minutes and 59 seconds, rode a bevel geared chainless. Having captured the road record from New York to Albany, Mack is now considering an attempt on the New York to Boston record. He also holds the records for 100, 200, 300 and 400 miles, and the 12 and 24 hour records. After the New York to Boston record he intends to go for the New York to Washington record.

The movement of the American Bicycle company toward consolidation has begun. The eastern branch of one large maker has been closed and the business transferred to the branch store of another concern.

Orlando Stevens, the well known professional rider, last Saturday made a mile against time, motor pace, in 1.35⅕. This is the fastest mile ever made on a dirt track.

The American Waltham Manufacturing company, manufacturers of the Waltham Comet bicycle, are arranging to move their entire plant to Hartford, Conn. The plan involves an increase in the capital stock from $100,000 to $200,000, and subscriptions for this purpose are now being solicited in Hartford.

A race between Tom Cooper and Fred L. Kramer, the professional and amateur sprinting champions respectively, will probably be arranged for the indoor season, if not for an outdoor track, to decide who is really the best sprinter in America. Kramer recently defeated Earl Peabody of Chicago.

ADMIRAL DEWEY

IS FIGHTING FOR HIS JACKIES' BOUNTY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—Admiral Dewey is making a fight for double bounty for the men behind the guns who won for him the battle of Manila. He has filed a claim for $200 each for his men, instead of $100. They are entitled to the double allowance if the American force was inferior to the Spanish force in the Manila Bay fight. Admiral Dewey in a report to the navy department, claims that the Spanish force including the shore batteries, was superior to the American fleet. If Admiral Dewey's views are sustained the aggregate bounty will be about $360,000 instead of $180,000.

The admiral's conclusions are admitted by officers of the department to be correct, but it now appears that before the jackies can get their well earned reward, they must await the judgment of the court of claims.

Captain Lemley, judge advocate general of the navy department, says in his report among other things: "In order to settle claims for bounty, it is necessary that certain facts be first ascertained and established among which are on the one hand the names, number and character of vessels destroyed, their complement, armament, and aggregates force as compared with that of the victors: and perhaps also the degree of co-operation extended to them by shore batteries, torpedoes and mines. With respect to the captured vessels it is necessary to determine the identity and national character, their number, their offensive and defensive equipment and the names and rates of pay of their officers and men."

The claims submitted by the admiral are those of the Olympia, Baltimore, Raleigh, Boston, Concord, Petrel and McCullogh and the individual claim of Pay Inspector Bellows. The court of claims will also pass upon the claims of Sampson's squadron, growing out of the fight at Santiago.

HUDSON CASES

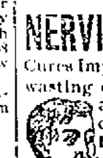
LOWELL MEN MAY BE TRIED AT PRESENT TERM OF COURT.

The Nashua Press says:

New Hampshire County Solicitor Tuttle was in Nashua Monday morning when it was expected that the Manhattan club of Hudson, represented by James H. Collins and Frank Traversy, would be heard in the supreme court on an appeal from Judge Clyde's court. The respondents came from Lowell. But the court was otherwise engaged and the trial was put over to a later date. The case of Julia Hill, who was indicted in the Uno beer case went over with the others. Solicitor Tuttle said that these cases will certainly be tried. Some of the respondents have come into court and settled but those who wish for a trial will have one. He does not favor postponement to the next term of court as has been reported.

BOOTT LOOMFIXERS.

A special meeting of the Boott Loomfixers will be held at their hall tonight at 7.30 o'clock to settle grievances that exist in the Boott. All other loomfixers are notified to stay away from the Boott until the present trouble is settled.



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INTERNAL PILES

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While the doctor has cured a thousand cases of PILES AND FISTULA in New England, many of them being in and about Lowell, he can only afford space for a few testimonials in this notice. They are as follows:

PILES.

Prof. A. Mirault, No 3 Central St., Lowell, Mass., says: "I had protruding and bleeding piles for many years, and was cured by Dr. Dally of the Boston Clinic. The operations were painless and I am now entirely free from the disease."

FISTULA.

J. I. Nickerson, 592 6th street, South Boston, says: "I had a double fistula and feared I would lose my life. There was an abscess that discharged a pint at a time, and prevented me doing any work. I heard of the Boston Clinic and went there and was cured. I worked at home building all the time of treatment, visiting the Clinic once a week. I was told there were no failures, and all the patients corroborated it."

PILES.

Dr. Dally, Dear Sir: I take great pleasure in informing you that by your skilful treatment I am entirely cured of a very bad case of piles, from which I have suffered for more than 20 years. Very truly, Robert Butterworth, 11 South Whipple St., Lowell, Mass.

FISTULA.

A. W. Fulton, Walpole, Mass., says: "I suffered with a bad fistula for years, and was cured by Dr. J. W. Dally without cutting. I am now sound and well."

PRESIDING ELDER

REV. WILLARD T. PERRIN APPOINTED TO SUCCEED REV. DR. G. F. EATON, DECEASED.

The vacancy caused by the death of the Rev. Dr. G. F. Eaton, presiding elder of the Cambridge district of the Methodist Episcopal conference has been filled by Bishop Mallalieu by transferring Dr. Joseph H. Mansfield to that district. The Rev. Willard Taylor Perrin, Ph. D. of the First Church, Dorchester, has been made presiding elder of the Boston district.

The appointment of Dr. Perrin will give general satisfaction. He is greatly beloved by his brethren in the ministry for his profoundedly religious life, his high ideals and his ability.

Dr. Perrin was born in Cambridge, June 2, 1850. He entered Harvard college in 1866, graduating in 1870 in the same class with Governor Wolcott, standing 12th in scholarship in a class eminent for its high rank. After graduation, he was submaster in the Boston Latin school for one year.

Entering the school of theology of Boston University in 1871, he was graduated in 1874. During this course he was instructor in Greek for one year. He was admitted to the New England conference in 1874, ordained deacon by Bishop Simpson and elder by Bishop Harris. He was married April 12, 1876 to Miss Lucy Ellen Denton of Newton, who has been an invaluable helper in all the work of his ministry.

He has served with success important pastorates in the conference including Trinity, Worcester; Worthen street, Lowell; St. John's, South Boston, and the First church, Temple street, this city. In 1898 he was elected secretary of the trustees of Boston university. He was chosen president of the New England Home and Training school to succeed Dr. Brodbeck. From 1886-'94 he was president of the first general conference district of the Epworth league and served as president of the Boston Methodist preachers' meeting in 1897-'98. His degree of doctor of philosophy he received from Boston University.

NARROW ESCAPE

A BICYCLIST RAN INTO BY A SHIFTER.

An accident which might have resulted in the fatal injury of a boy was narrowly averted yesterday afternoon at the corner of Cabot and Cheever streets. The Tremont and Suffolk dummy engine was shifting cars from Cheever street into the storehouse and the engine had just passed over Cabot street to clear the switch when a boy about fifteen years who was riding a wheel attempted to cross the track. He had got half way across the track when one of the freight cars which was coupled to the dummy struck the rear wheel of the boy's bicycle. The force of the shock threw the boy heavily to the ground. A couple of bystanders ran across the street expecting to find the boy dead. But he picked himself up and started away on his wheel, apparently unhurt.

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When a Poll Tax only is assessed, the Tax is due, and if not paid forthwith, the collector will proceed to collect the Tax as directed by the General Statutes.

WARRANTS will be promptly issued for the collection of Poll Taxes.

SUMMONS, bearing costs, will be issued against delinquent Poll and Personal Tax Payers on or about November 1st.

INTEREST at the rate of seven per cent. per annum will be charged upon all Taxes which remain unpaid October 20, 1899, until the same shall be paid; and such interest shall be added to and considered a part of said Taxes. Poll Taxes are assessed upon every male inhabitant above the age of 20 years. On undivided real estate each heir is liable for the whole tax. An error in the name of the person taxed does not defeat the collection of the Tax. Each partner is liable for the whole Tax assessed under the partnership name.

If any ratable inhabitant, by removing his residence since the first day of May or from any cause should not receive his tax bill, he must consider the tax demanded by this notice and a new bill will be made out on application at the office of the City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes if a Tax has been assessed.

All who preserve their Tax Bills and bring them when they come to pay, will save the time of making a new bill and facilitate the business of the office.

THE RATE OF TAXATION FOR 1899 IS $19.20 ON $1000.

OFFICE HOURS—From 9 o'clock a. m. to 4 p. m. For the convenience of the Tax-paying public the office of the Collector will be open in the evening as follows: Mondays, Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays, from Oct. 9 to Oct. 14, inclusive, from 7 to 9 o'clock p. m. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, from Oct. 16 to 20, inclusive, from 7 to 9 o'clock p. m.

Look for your Tax Bill at your place of residence, May 1st, 1899 and bring it with you.

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MURDER MYSTERY

Portion of Young Woman's Body Found

BY A BOY TWELVE YEARS OLD

The Head Had Been Hacked Off Body

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—The upper part of a woman's body was found on the beach at quarantine station at 7 a. m. today by John Heineman, 12 years old. The portion of the body found was from the waist line to the neck. The appearance of the flesh showed it had been but a short time in the water. It was tied up with twine and pieces of manila paper and newspaper cling to the twine. Most of the paper has washed away. Over the right breast was a cut about two inches long, but Dr. Doty, health officer of the port, who saw the cut, said it was merely a flesh wound and probably inflicted while cutting the body in pieces. The doctor said this portion of the body was the upper part of a young woman and that the woman had never been a mother. The part where the head had been cut off was quite jagged and the head had evidently been hacked off, the arms were cut off close to the shoulders and also showed clumsy work. The police were notified immediately.

On the clothing found last night by the police at 219 West 15th street, it was said today that the name, "J. J. Newman," and the laundry mark, "J. J. N. 183" had been discovered. This was believed to be a clue to the mystery surrounding the death of the woman, dismembered parts of whose body have been found at various places about the city.

The piece was originally wrapped in a "World," the date of which was effaced by the action of the water and was tied with what is known as special yachting marline, which is similar to the fish line used in bluefish trolling. It was tied twice across the length and twice across the width of the package and was knotted in such a manner as to form a convenient loop or handle for carrying it by.

The paper had ben washed off in large pieces. Where the cords crossed the largest pieces of paper which still adhered were found.

Captain McCluskey of the detectives said it was quite possible that the murder, if such it was, had not been committed in New York city at all, but that it had been done in some other city and the parts of the body brought here. Captain McCluskey thought the clothing found last night at 219 West 15th street, had no bearing on the case. In his opinion the bundle was left where it was found by a frightened thief. Even with the portion of the body found off quarantine, Captain McCluskey thought identification would be almost impossible unless the head should be found.

The police of Brooklyn found later in the day a human skull, with the top sawed off. It was picked up in a lot near Washington avenue and Montgomery street. The skull has been preserved in alcohol for a time. A portion of the flesh of the lower part of the face still adhered to the bones. Part of the windpipe also remained. The New York police were notified and sent detectives to investigate the Brooklyn find.

Shortly after the arrival of the piece of the body from Staten Island at the morgue here, it was given out that it contained the heart, lungs and portions of the stomach. The detectives say there is a cut over the heart which they believe to be a stab wound.

SNOW'S FATHER

EXCUSED FROM SERVING AS A JUROR.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BARNSTABLE, Mass., Oct. 10.—The superior court of Barnstable county began its October session here this morning with Judge Bond presiding. Among the cases before the grand jury are those of Edward Ray Snow, of Yarmouthport, who is accused of murdering James T. Whittemore at Dennis last month, and that of Joseph Hill, a negro of Hyannis, who is charged with murdering his wife.

The court excused Albert C. Snow from serving as foreman of the grand jury, owing to the fact that his son is the young man accused of Whittemore's murder.

GAMBLERS FINED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 10.—Gardiner Groves, Frank Ballou, Russell Proctor, and Warren Staples, who some time ago pleaded nolo contendere to indictments charging them with being common gamblers, were called for sentence in the common pleas court this morning.

Judge Wilbur imposed a fine of $500 and costs on each. The total amount paid in fine and costs by the four men was $2079.10.

LEASE RATIFIED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Oct. 10.—The stockholders of the Dover and Portsmouth railroad met today after having adjourned last week, to take action on ratifying the sale of the road to the Boston and Maine railroad. The lease was ratified by a vote of 3513 shares to 1130 shares.

SATURDAY A HOLIDAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Oct. 10.—As a result of Governor Wolcott's letter requesting that Saturday, Oct. 14, be made a general holiday owing to the visit of Admiral Dewey the stock exchange and banks will be closed from Friday night to Monday morning.

STATE FAIR OPENED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 10.—The Rhode Island state fair was formally opened at Narragansett park this morning. Though the weather conditions were threatening early in the morning, the skies cleared by 11 o'clock and there began a heavy influx of sightseers. By 1 o'clock it was estimated that fully 20,000 people were on the grounds and the trains and trolley cars continued to arrive loaded to their full capacity. The display in the various departments is larger this year than ever before. This is specially the case with the poultry exhibit, which is pronounced the finest ever made in the state.

CHAMBERLAIN NAMED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BROCKTON, Mass., Oct. 10.—Edward Chamberlain of Brockton, today was nominated for Senator by republicans of second Plymouth district.

TRANSPORT NEWPORT

ARRIVED IN SAN FRANCISCO LAST NIGHT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 10.—The U. S. transport Newport, which arrived from Manila late last night, brought 461 discharged regulars mainly from the third artillery, the fourth cavalry, the Fourteenth infantry and Company 18, the Signal Corps, 38 men under command of Lieut. Frank Bailey. Five men died of dysentery on the trip from Nagasaki. These were: Sergeant Major Young of the 22nd infantry; Private Walsh, of the Fourteenth infantry; Private Hancock of the Third Artillery; Private Sharkey of the Ninth infantry and an unknown discharged soldier.

CHADWICK DAY

Celebrated by 20,000 at Morgantown

THE CAPTAIN GETS A SWORD

Admiral Sampson Present as a Guest

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., Oct. 10.—Chadwick day was celebrated by 20,000 people today. The weather was magnificent and country people came forty and fifty miles over land. The special train with naval officers arrived at 6 o'clock, and a salute in honor of Admiral Sampson was fired by the University Cadets. In the party were Rear Admiral Sampson, Captain Chadwick and wife, Lieut. C. C. Marsh and wife, and Commander S. A. Staunton. Among the distinguished visitors were Governor Atkinson, Senators Elkins and Scott, ex-Senator Davis, Congressman Dayton, Secretary of State Dawson, General Spilman, General Appleton, Col. Babb and Major Elliott.

It was nearly noon when the procession started. The parade was divided into three divisions, composed of the veterans of the civil and Spanish wars, national guard of West Virginia and Pennsylvania and civic societies.

When the procession reached the reviewing stand, it was reviewed by the distinguished guests and then dismissed. The meeting was then called to order by Hon. George C. Sturgis and Governor Atkinson presented the sword to Captain Chadwick on behalf of the people of the state.

Captain Chadwick was deeply touched by the ovation accorded him and replied in a short address.

Hon. Joseph Moreland was then introduced and spoke on the subject, "Our Guest." He accorded to Sampson much of the credit of the victory at Santiago.

Admiral Sampson replied in a few well chosen words.

At the close of the address, the assembled bands played "America" in unison, thousands of voices joining in the air.

After this an impromptu reception and handshaking was held.

The sword in dimensions corresponds with naval regulations.

The blade is of the finest steel and decorated in gold and bears the following inscription:

"Presented to Captain French E. Chadwick, October 10, 1899, by the citizens of West Virginia."

On the reverse side is a vignette of the cruiser New, with the words: "An Ideal Ship with an Ideal Captain," surrounded with a suitable ornamentation.

The scabbard is made of sterling silver, heavily oxidized and relieved by richly carved decorations.

All the metal parts of the hilt and trappings are of solid gold and sterling silver.

LEACH FOR SENATOR.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

TAUNTON, Mass., Oct. 10.—Warren S. Leach of Raynham was renominated for senator at the first Bristol republican convention this afternoon by acclamation. There was no opposition. The chairman of the convention was Edgar L. Crossman of Taunton, and the secretary, Simeon A. Wheeler of Taunton. The committee on credentials was made up of William A. Lane of Norton; George N. Goff, Rehoboth, and E. C. Holt of Taunton.

DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM ENDORSED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Oct. 10.—The executive committee of the people's party has endorsed the platform adopted at the recent democratic convention. The letter reads as follows:

"The executive committee of the people's party recognizes that the platform the democratic party recently adopted in this state embodies to a greater extent than ever before principles to which we are committed, and we therefore cordially advise the members of our party in this commonwealth to vote for the candidates that stand upon it, as the best available method of promoting the reforms for which we have so long contended."

George F. Washburn, Chairman.
Dr. P. P. Field, Secretary.

MURDER—1 to 5.

SAFE BLOWN OPEN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 10.—A safe belonging to the Dominion Atlantic railway in the intercolonial passenger station here, was blown open with dynamite early this morning. The cracksmen secured $100 in cash and some papers of value to the officials.

GENERAL OTIS

TELLS OF MOVEMENT OF SCHWAN'S COLUMN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10—The war department has received the following dispatch from General Otis, dated Manila, Oct. 10:

"Gen. Schwan's column moved early this morning from Santa Cruz de Malabon, now believed to be in San Francisco de Malabon, not meeting very determined resistance; matters quiet in Imus section. Gen. Young with column starts tomorrow morning from San Fernando. Col. Bell cleared country yesterday west of Guagua to and including Florida Blanca, making captures of officers, men and property.

The Misses Kittie and Sarah Sparks and Abbie Higgins have returned home after a week's vacation in New York.

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MARTIN FLAHERTY

Defeated Tommy Hogan of St. Louis

LAST NIGHT IN TWENTY ROUNDS

Neither Fighter Able to Land Decisive Blow

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 10.—Martin Flaherty, the Lowell, Mass., lightweight, was awarded the decision over Tommy Hogan in a 20 round bout at the opening of Tim Hurst's new club in this city last night.

It was a fast fight from start to finish, and Flaherty had all the better of the argument, although in Hogan he had a stiff opponent. Tim Hurst refereed, and his decision was the only one he could have fairly given. While the fight was a fast one, neither man seemed able to land a decisive blow, and both finished strong.

The bout was witnessed by a large crowd. The articles called for a 20-round contest at catchweights for a decision. Both fighters appeared to be in excellent shape.

Hogan was considered one of the best if not the best man of his weight in the west. The only man who has been able to gain a decision over him previous to last night was Oscar Gardner, and that was the rankest kind of a verdict, Hogan having all the better of the fight.

But last night Hogan met the toughest propositon of his career in Flaherty. The clever Lowell lad was into him all the time, and received little punishment in return.

PRES. McKINLEY

TALKS WITH FELLOW MEMBERS OF BRICKLAYERS' UNION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHICAGO, Oct. 10.—President McKinley had scarcely finished breakfast this morning when the first of the many delegations seeking attention reached the Auditorium. The delegation was composed entirely of laboring men, and the president was closeted with them for half an hour. The party was made up principally of members of the Bricklayers and Stonemasons' Union, which some weeks ago made the president an honorary member of their organization. President Gubbins of the union in the course of conversation, mentioned the Bricklayers' organization.

"Our organization, if you please. Don't forget me," smiled Mr. McKinley, and the committee promised that he would always be remembered as a full-fledged union bricklayer and stonemason.

The corner-stone trouble, which arose from the employment of non-union labor in cutting the first stone, and which for a time threatened the ceremony of yesterday, was not spoken of.

The president declared he considered it a compliment to belong to the bricklayers' union, and pulled from an inside pocket the card entitling him to a voice in its proceedings.

"I would like to have the international body of which our union is a part, hold its convention of 1901 in Washington," said the president, as the building tradesmen were about to retire. President Gubbins thanked him for the invitation and declared that the matter would be laid before the delegates to the convention of 1900.

GENERAL FUNSTON

Attracted Much Attention in Yokohama

DISCHARGED SOLDIERS WERE ARRESTED

For Creating Trouble on the Newport

By Associated Press to The Sun.

YOKOHAMA, Sept. 25—Via San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 10—The Twentieth Kansas regiment has come and gone, adding materially to the very favorable impression made by all the American troops who have passed through here on their way homeward. The one man who had been the centre of attraction has of course been Gen. Funston. His modest bearing and strong personality have made him a great favorite.

The Newport on its homeward voyage had on board a large contingent of discharged soldiers. These men finding that they outnumbered the rest of passengers, carried things with a high hand. Dissatisfied with their accommodations, they practically took possession of the ship and driving the officers from their quarters installed themselves there in. On arriving at Nagasaki, Consul Harris being apprised of the affair, went on board with four Japanese policemen and arrested the ring leaders of the mutineers.

A fire at Hakodate on the 15th instant resulted in the destruction of nearly 3000 houses. As it is a town of 70,000 inhabitants, this means the wiping out of about one fourth of them. Within a little more than a month ago three great fires in Yokohama and Hakodate have destroyed upwards of 11,000 houses.

Shanghai is excited over the ghastly news of New Chwang where a government doctor sent to make an investigation discovered four depots containing 2000 fresh coffins of plague victims waiting to be sent to their native provinces.

A rumor is rife that the Emperor of China has succeeded in sending an appeal to the Emperor of Japan to rescue the writer from imminent danger of deposition and death at the hands of assassins.

It is also said that powerful influences have been brought to bear upon Dowager Empress inducing her to hesitate in her design to place a new incumbent upon the throne.

KID McCOY'S PLANS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 10.—Kid McCoy is in this city and says his $500 put up to make good his challenge to fight Fitzsimmons, will remain up until the time limit expires, for he does not believe that Fitz intends to meet him. Meantime he has an offer from Brady in New York to fight Peter Maher for a purse of $25,000 before Brady's athletic club about the last of November. He will gladly accept this if Fitzsimmons does not fight him.

DELAGO BAY

FORMAL ANNOUNCEMENT OF ITS CESSION TO GREAT BRITAIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Oct. 10.—It is reported that at the coming special session of Parliament formal announcement will be made of the cession of Delago Bay and the surrounding territory in Portuguese East Africa, to Great Britain.

THE RECEPTION

To Admiral Dewey in the Hub

ALL ARRANGEMENTS ARE COMPLETED

The G. A. R. Will Act as an Escort

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Oct. 10.—The various subcommittees and individual members of the joint Dewey celebration committee accomplished such good results yesterday in arranging the preparations for the visit of the admiral that the plans will be well under way when the joint committee meets this noon at the chamber of commerce.

Several changes were made in the plans yesterday. It was found that the line of march, as already made out, was entirely too short, and the people who desired to witness the parade would be disappointed unless more ground was covered. For this reason the line of march was lengthened.

Then, too, the plan first proposed that the admiral be presented with his watch in the mayor's room has been changed, so that now these exercises will take place on the stand in front of city hall to be constructed especially for that purpose.

The arrangements for Friday night's entertainment are now practically complete. The admiral will arrive here between 5.30 and 6 o'clock that evening. This was learned at the meeting of the state house members of the committee yesterday forenoon.

The committee received a note from President Tuttle of the Boston & Maine announcing that Gov. Smith of Vermont had talked with him, and had said that Admiral Dewey would be through with the exercises at Northfield by Friday noon. The governor said that he would accompany the admiral as far as White River Junction, and he believed that he could have him at White River by 1.30 o'clock. President Tuttle notified the committee that the special train on which Admiral Dewey would be brought to this city would carry him here in four hours. This would make his arrival in Boston about 5.30, or 6 o'clock at the latest.

The North station has seen some mighty crowds in its day, but the one which will gather there next Friday night at 5.30 to greet Admiral Dewey will be a record-breaker.

When the admiral arrives in town he will be met by members of the city government, the state officers not meeting him officially until Saturday morning. Carriages will be taken for the Touraine, and escort duty will be furnished by several military commands.

GRAND ARMY ESCORT.

Department Commander Gilman of the G. A. R. called on Mayor Quincy yesterday afternoon and talked with him regarding the part which the Grand Army is to play in the welcoming of Admiral Dewey. As a result, Commander Gilman sent out circulars last night to all the Grand Army posts in the state inviting them to parade on Friday night. It will be an imposing affair, and although it is not expected that the posts in the extreme parts of the state will turn out, yet it is believed that all Grand Army men who can will hail with delight this opportunity to honor Admiral Dewey.

Following is the order issued by Department Commander Gilman of the G. A. R. regarding the escort to Admiral Dewey Friday night:

General Orders No. 8.

BOSTON, Oct. 8, 1899.

1. The contemplated visit of the admiral of the navy to Boston offers to the Grand Army of the Republic of this department an opportunity to pay to that distinguished hero the honor which he so richly deserves, and which the veterans of the civil war are so willing to render.

2. The posts of this department are invited to assemble in Boston on Friday, Oct. 13, for that purpose. Line will be formed on both sides of Canal street, right resting on Haymarket square. Commanders of posts will report to the assistant adjutant-general, on the right of the line, at 5.30 p. m., and be assigned positions in the order of their arrival, without regard to seniority. Posts attending as organizations will carry their colors. Comrades whose posts do not parade will fall in with posts whose uniform is similar to theirs. Post and staff officers will wear side arms.

3. Edward W. Kinsley post 113, having tendered its services, will act as escort to the department commander.

4. Aides and assistant inspectors will report to Chief of Staff William M. Olin, at the head of Canal street. Past department commanders and national officers are invited to parade on the commander's staff.

5. Officers will salute and colors be dipped when the admiral is passing, and the same while the column is passing in review.

6. Through the courtesy of His Honor Mayor Quincy, a space on the Charles street mall will be reserved for the comrades of the G. A. R. during the military parade on Saturday. The police officers in charge will be instructed to admit veterans wearing the G. A. R. badge.

By command of JOHN E. GILMAN,
Department Commander.
Official: EDWARD P. PREBLE,
Assistant Adjutant-General.

Commander Gilman said that, as long as it was a naval hero who was being honored, he thought it right that a naval organization should hold the honored position, and so, at his suggestion, the Kearsarge naval veterans will be given the right of line. Admiral White has been notified to this effect.

The Spanish war veterans who are to turn out will probably make the greatest number of men of any organization in line. They will follow the Grand Army. A detail of 59 or 60 cavalrymen will be made from troops A and D, and they will act as outriders.

Governor suggests a holiday in the following communication:

Executive Chamber, State House,
Boston, Oct. 9, 1899.

To the Citizens of Boston:

Though without constitutional or statutory authority to declare a legal holiday on Saturday next, it is my earnest wish that places of business be closed generally on that day, in order that all our people may have full opportunity to participate in the welcome of commonwealth and city to Admiral Dewey.

I therefore recommend and request that as all departments at the state house will be closed in honor of the gallant admiral, similar action be taken by all our citizens, and that they emphasize their welcome by fitting decorations through the city, and especially along the route of the procession.

I believe confidently that through the patriotic spirit of the people of the state the day of welcome will be made effectually a holiday.

ROGER WOLCOTT.

FRIDAY NIGHT'S CARNIVAL.

The line of march on Friday night will be up Canal street to Sudbury and thence to Tremont, where the route will be to the Hotel Touraine.

On the way to the hotel, the admiral's way will be lighted up by a constant blaze of red fire and electrical effects. The storekeepers on the streets through which he is to pass will vie with one another in making the trip a memorable one.

Soon after 9 o'clock on Saturday the admiral will be presented with a $500 watch at the city hall.

SATURDAY'S PARADE.

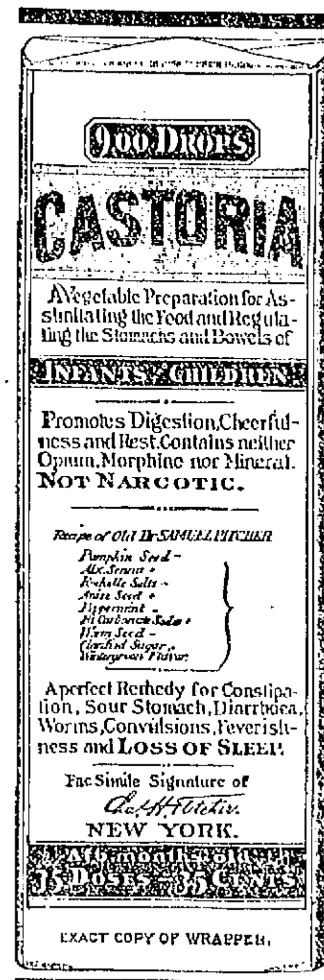
At noon the various organizations of the state militia will begin to gather on Commonwealth avenue, right resting on Arlington street. Gov. Wolcott as the commander-in-chief, will lead, and the two brigadier generals, Gens. Mathews and Bancroft. Admiral Dewey will ride in the procession.

Fearing congestion along the down town streets first mentioned as the route, the military authorities decided late yesterday to extend the march of the troops along two of the principal avenues leading south and north from Charles street.

THE BANQUET.

The banquet to be tendered the admiral at the Alongquin club Saturday night will be a state affair. As these dinners are invariably informal, it is probable that no speeches will be made. This was the case when dinners were given to President McKinley and Admiral Sampson.

Miss Carrie White is now the organist of St. Michael's church.



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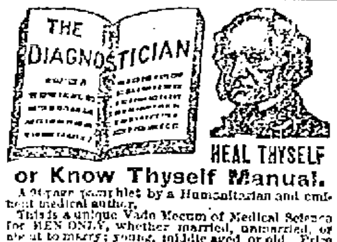

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J. N. Murdock, 270 Snodgrass Street, Dallas, Texas, says: "My son had a terrible Cancer on his jaw, for which the doctors performed a painful operation, cutting down to the bone and scraping it. The Cancer soon returned, however, and was more violent than before. We were advised to try S. S. S. The second bottle made an improvement; after twenty bottles had been taken the Cancer disappeared entirely, and he was cured permanently."

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For Boston, 5.43, 6.25, c6.42, *7.45, *8.50, c9.15, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, c3.00, 4.25, c5.44 p. m.

SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex street station Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.45, 6.28, c6.45, w6.50, 7.01, *7.20, *7.28, 7.30, *7.48, w*8.00, *8.07, c9.19, w9.25, *9.50, w10.50, 11.03, *11.42 a. m.; w12.05, 12.15, w12.45, 1.43, w2.80, w*3.03, 3.10, *3.47, w3.55, 4.28, w5.15, 5.52, c5.47, w*6.16, *6.22, 7.00, *7.43, w9.25 p. m.

SUNDAYS, 7.50, 7.28, w8.15, 8.48, 9.19 a. m., w12.05, w1.05, 4.25, w5.30, 5.53, w7.25, p. m.

For Lawrence, 6.23, w6.50, z7.33, w8.30, w9.56, 10.05, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, w2.30, w3.10, w3.55, 4.15, w5.15, w6.15, w7.00 w9.25, wb11.25 p. m.

SUNDAYS, w8.15 a. m.; w12.05, w5.30, w7.25 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., w5.28, 7.33 a. m.; w12.05, 1.25, w5.15, 5.53 p. m.

For Haverhill, 6.28, 6.50, z7.33, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.10, w3.55, w5.15, 6.15, 7.00, 9.25, b11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.55 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, z7.33, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.10, 3.55, 5.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, z7.33, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.50, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, 6.50, 8.30, a. m.; 12.05, 5.15 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Skowhegan and Rockland, 8.30 a. m.; 5.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For St. John's, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and Quebec, 5.15 p. m. (5.15 does not run Saturdays). SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland), on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgewick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland), Tuesdays and Fridays at 5.15 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.23, 7.04, 7.33, *7.48, 11.03 a. m.; 1.43, 4.28 p. m. SUNDAYS, 4.25, 5.53 p. m.

For Ayer Junction and Way-Stations—7.10 a. m.; 12.09, 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.12 a. m.; 1.00, 3.11, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.12 a. m.; 3.41 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.40, 9.12, *9.40 a. m.; *12.13, 1.00, *1.40, 3.41, *5.10, 6.27, *5.10, *8.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.00 a. m. (to Nashua only), 3.08 a. m.; 2.07, 6.02, 9.10, 8.40 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction, 9.12, *9.40 a. m.; *12.12, *1.40 (to Franklin only), 5.10, *a8.40 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.,) Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.40, 9.22 a. m.; 1.40 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, *9.40 a. m.; *1.40, *a8.40 p. m.

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BOARD OF POLICE

OFFICER JOHN F. HEALEY PROMOTED TO THE REGULAR FORCE.

At the regular meeting of the board of police last night the following licenses were granted: Junk collector, Barney Shapiro, 81 Railroad street and David Kern, 108 Chelmsford. Employment office, Carrie M. Geuther, 109 Merrimack. Bowling alley, etc., James McLaughlin, 85 East Merrimack. Job and express, Martin P. Fahey, 101 Fremont and John Burke, 719 Lakeview avenue. Common victualler, Harry Demarais, 61 East Merrimack; Patrick Farren, 52 Manchester; Leonard P. Richardson, 391 Gorham; Annie Buzzie, 379 Middlesex; Eben E. Moore, 349 Middlesex and Joseph C. Batchelder, 143 Paige. Hawker and peddler, A. B. Fellows, Billerica; John O'Brien, Westford; Edgar P. Barclay, Chelmsford; Hattie A. Dane, Westford; Henry Shepherd, Dracut; Jeremiah Murphy, Tewksbury; William Horne, 164 Lakeview avenue; Arthur E. Wilson, Westford; Charles H. Noah, 17 W. Adams street. The pool license of William H. Bell, 349 Central street, was revoked.

Common victualler, Bridget Mullaney, 73 Concord street; Emily Lowe, 25 Fourth and John J. Kelley, 487 Worthen.

Hawker and peddlers' license, Michael Ready, Corbett place.

Officer John F. Healey was promoted from the supernumerary to the regular force to take the vacancy made by the dismissal of Dunlavey.

MATRIMONIAL.

Dr. James F. Sullivan and Miss Jeannette T. Costello, both of this city, were united in matrimony last evening at 7.30 o'clock in the beautiful chapel of the Immaculate Conception parochial residence. The chapel was tastefully decorated for the occasion with ferns and potted plants and presented a beautiful appearance.

The matrimonial ceremony was performed by Rev. George A. Costello, of the Church of the Assumption of Brookline, a brother of the bride, assisted by Rev. William D. Joyce, O. M. I., pastor of the Immaculate Conception church.

The bride was attended by her sisters Misses Annabel and Catharine L., as bridesmaids and Miss Susie A. was maid of honor. The best man was Dr. Thomas J. Broderick of Charlestown, a classmate of the groom. The bride was given away by her father.

The bride was charmingly gowned in white satin, trimmed with rare point lace. The bridesmaids and maid of honor were also attractively gowned.

Immediately following the marriage ceremony, a reception was held at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Thomas Costello, 293 Nesmith street. Only relatives and immediate friends were present. After a short reception a bountiful wedding repast was served, the D. L. Page company catering.

The beautiful residence of Mr. Costello was also elaborately decorated with floral trimmings, combinations of oak leaves, roses and chrysanthemums. The decorations produced a pleasing and artistic effect. They were the work of Patten & Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan left early in [illegible] wedding tour. They were the recipients of many beautiful and costly wedding gifts.

HYDE--SHERBURNE.

Mr. Henry W. Hyde and Miss Ruth A. Sherburne, both well known young people of this city were married last evening at 6.30 o'clock in the Kirk street church in the presence of several hundred of their friends.

The decorations consisted of an elaborate arrangement of palms, evergreen trees and plants about the platform and the space immediately in front of it, forming an effective background for the wedding party.

Mr. George F. Hamer was the organist and he gave a varied program while the guests were assembling. The bridal chorus from Lohengrin was the march to which the procession entered the church. The bridegroom was attended by Mr. Edward H. Shattuck, his best man. The bride who was gowned in a lovely creation of white silk, entered with her uncle, Mr. Reuben Sherburne of Boston. She was attended by Miss Mary Emily Pitman of Raymond, N. H., who was gowned in white organdie and lace. The bride carried a bouquet of chrysanthemums. The ushers were Messrs. Charles A. Mitchell, Chas. D. Paige, Frank W. Hall, Ralph Hayden, Wallace P. Butterfield, and Lewis E. MacBrayne.

Rev. William A. Bartlett, D. D., performed the ceremony and when the kneeling couple received the benediction, the joyous strains of the Mendelssohn march gave the step for the procession from the church. There was no reception. The young people, followed by the best wishes of their host of friends, left the city on an early evening train for the north. Upon their return they are to make their home in the Highlands. They received many wedding gifts.

McOSKER—KING.

Mr. Thomas F. McOsker, chief clerk in the office of the Boott corporation, and a popular member of the Alpine club, was united in marriage to Miss Annie E. King, a teacher at the Franklin school, this morning at 9 o'clock at the parochial residence of the Immaculate Conception parish.

The matrimonial ceremony was performed by the pastor, Rev. William D. Joyce, O. M. I., in the chapel which was beautifully decorated with ferns, potted plants and an abundance of autumn leaves.

The bride was attended by her sister Miss Marietta King, and the best man was Mr. John F. McOsker, a brother of the groom.

The bride was becomingly gowned in embroidered muslin over taffeta silk, with duchess lace trimmings. The bridemaid's dress was of white muslin and pink.

After the marriage ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, 223 Stackpole street, and was followed by a wedding repast, the D. L. Page company catering. Only relatives of the contracting parties were present at the reception.

Mr. and Mrs. McOsker leave this afternoon for an extended honeymoon. They will go to New York and thence to Old Point Comfort, Va., and on their return they will reside at 23 Huntington street.

The happy couple were the recipients of many beautiful and costly wedding gifts, from their numerous friends as both are quite popular.

HOUGH SENTENCED.

TO FIVE YEARS AND BAILEY CONTINUED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CONCORD, N. H., Oct. 11--Yesterday afternoon the cases of Harry F. Bailey of Colebrook and Harry Hough of Dover were taken up in the circuit court here.

In the case of Bailey, Mr. Bates asked that the case be allowed to go over until the December term with the understanding that at the latter time the respondent will plead nolo to the charge of making false returns to the controller of the currency.

After a few moments' delay, Bailey appeared and pleaded not guilty to the three charges of committing embezzlement and making false entry. It was agreed that bail commissioners should be appointed who should return the sureties before October 2 and the court ordered that the case be continued until the December term.

The case of Harry Hough of Dover was then called and the respondent pleaded nolo contendre to the charge of making false entries in the books of the Cocheco National bank.

William F. Nason, assignee of the savings bank, testified to Mr. Hough's great assistance upon the books of the institution and Receiver E. H. Carroll of the national bank made a similar statement. Judge Aldrich imposed a sentence on Hough of five years in jail one year at Dover and four years at Manchester.

TINY BABY GIRL

TWELVE INCHES LONG AND WEIGHS 15 OUNCES

By Associated Press to The Sun.

TAUNTON, Oct. 11.—A bright little girl baby—tremendously little at that—is the cause of much talk here. Her name is Marie Noemie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bernard of No. 5 Fourth avenue, and when she first saw the light of day on Friday last, weighed scarcely a pound, in fact only 15 ounces, according to the statement of the attending physician, and also the father.

When a reporter called there yesterday this mite of humanity was tugging away at a nursing bottle, and made herself heard when disturbed to be weighed and measured. At birth she was scarcely 12 inches long, but within the past four days she has grown almost as many inches, and is a trifle over 15. She has also thrived in weight having gained a quarter of a pound and with flannels removed today weighed a trifle over 19 ounces. Her form is symmetrical, though on a small scale, and the attending physician is confident that she will thrive and live.

The mother, Mrs. Barnard, was born in Capehat, Bonaventure county, province of Quebec, about 25 years ago, and her husband, who is a few years her senior, was born in the same province, at Iberville. They lived in Woonsocket, R. I., for a time before coming here. Mrs. Bernard was only 16 years of age when married, and this is her fifth child, the other four having been of normal size, but three have died at various ages. The fourth is living and is about 17 months old.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

There was a large attendance at the Sunday school in St. John's church Sunday afternoon. The sisters of the Notre Dame academy of St. Patrick's church, Lowell, have charge of the Sunday school this year.

A large delegation of North Chelmsford people will visit Boston Saturday to attend the grand Dewey celebration.

On account of the lower town hall being used for school purposes this year, the selectmen of Chelmsford have decided to have the polling place for voting of precinct two in the upper hall, instead of the lower hall, where the polling places have been in years past.

During the next few weeks there will probably be a checker series held between the married and single men of this village, and as there are quite a large number of good checker players in this village this winter, it is expected that many exciting games will be played.

Mr. Eugene Dutton will look after the street lamp lighting in North Chelmsford again this winter. Mr. Dutton has had the street lights in charge for the past few years.

It is reported that hen thieves are around the vicinity of this village and the many hen owners of North Chelmsford should be on their guard against them.

Sunday evening the Holy Name society of St. John's church held their regular monthly meeting in the church.

UNIVERSALIST CONFERENCE.

The Merrimack Valley conference of Universalists opens this month. The initial meeting is in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Lawrence. The program is as follows:

10.45 a. m. Conference meeting led by the Rev. W. E. Gaskin of Methuen.

11.15 a. m. Sermon by the Rev. F. W. Gibbs of Amesbury.

12.15 p. m. Dinner.

1.0 p. m. Business and election of officers.

2 p. m. Conference led by the Rev. J. C. Snow, D. D., of Haverhill, followed by address by the Rev. R. A. Greene of this city.

PEOPLE'S CLUB.

The women's branch of the People's club is now open in the Swan building and the rooms are provided with Welsbach lights, giving admirable advantages for reading and for the pursuit of branches taught in the various classes.

Classes announced this far are in dress making, plain sewing, buttonholes, embroidery, lace work and millinery. It is probable that classes in other branches will be opened later, and all interested in any department of work are invited to make inquiries or suggestions, and when feasible such classes will be formed.

As some of the classes already planned for are limited in number, early registration is desirable.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

At the regular meeting of Washington commandery, Golden Cross, tomorrow night, there will be a mock trial in which one of the members will be tried on a charge of larceny. It is expected that a large attendance will be present.

There will be a meeting of the Boott loom fixers at their hall this evening at 7.30 o'clock to settle important business. The meeting is especially for the Boott loom fixers and no others will be admitted.

At the regular meeting of the Burkes last night, 65 propositions were received and 51 new members were admitted.

It was voted to parade Burkes' Memorial Sunday.

A vote of thanks was extended to Representative M. M. Mansfield for donating the manual of the General Court also to Representative George E. Varney for donating books entitled "Acts and Resolves of the General Court," and the Bradford history of "The Plymouth Plantation."

It was voted to have a smoke talk next Tuesday evening.

Mt. Zion lodge of Good Templars held a reunion of past and present members in Good Templar hall last night. There was a large attendance, and all enjoyed the general good time that was in order. There were songs, readings, piano solos, and reminiscent remarks by several of the members and later on a few games were played. Those who took part were Miss Maude Hopkins, Miss Maude Curtis, Thomas Husband and others. Rev. N. W. Matthews gave a few words of a temperance vein, speaking of the improved condition of the city under no-license, and urging the members to do all they can toward helping the officers suppress the sale of the liquor traffic in the city. Refreshments were served later, in charge of Miss Phoebe Crabb, assisted by Miss Hattie A. Hodge, Miss Maude Mountford, Miss Edith Williams, Miss Bertha McMillin and Mrs. Alexander Mack.

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SENATOR HOAR, CLARA BARTON AND GOVERNOR THOMAS WRITE TO THE SUN.

A Remarkable Article in which These Thinkers Tell the State of the Woman's Suffrage Movement—Plead for it and Predict its Bright and Glorious Future to the Readers of The Sun.

SEN. HOAR'S LETTER.

The Massachusetts Statesman Came to the Belief Long ago That Women Should Have Equal Rights With Men.

I came to the belief, long ago, that the welfare of the State, that the true interest of the women of America, that justice, which is the great standing policy of all civil society, alike demand that woman shall be admitted to her full and equal share of the government of the republic.

Our fathers believed that mankind were placed in this world for the training of the moral and spiritual nature by learning to submit a free will voluntarily to the moral law. They regarded the State is but one instrumentality in this education. The sublimest thing in the universe, except its Creator, is a human will governing itself in obedience to a law higher than its own desire. The sublimest manifestation of that self-control is when a self-governing State regulates its conduct by the moral law.

Now, undoubtedly, just as the moral qualities of the individual—self-control, honesty, frugality, industry, generosity and courage—are displayed in some calling to which man devotes his life, so the constituents of the self-governing State show the same qualities in certain functions in which the forces of the State are exercised. It is necessary to our conception of the ideal State to determine not only who shall control it and who shall constitute it, but the ends to the accomplishment of which its mighty forces are to be directed. These are, in general, defence against foreign and domestic violence; prevention and punishment of crime; making and enforcing laws which regulate property and the relation of men to each other; the accomplishment of these things to which individual resources and capacity are unequal, such as the provision of institutions of education; caring for the insane, the blind, the deaf and dumb, the poor; the establishment of libraries and museums; the construction of public roads; the post office; the regulation and control of great commercial transactions and instrumentalities; and the choice of legislators, judges, executive officers, and all the instruments by which all these things are to be accomplished.

WOMEN SHOULD VOTE.

Now, we demand two very simple things. First, that in counting the votes for these instruments in our elections, the vote of women shall be counted. Second, that when the people vote for public officers, or they are otherwise appointed, if a woman seem to be the fittest person for the place, she may be selected. That is all.

It is less than forty years since the movement for woman suffrage began to assume serious proportions. The men and women who took up the advocacy of this cause had to encounter prejudices which had existed since the foundation of the earth, so far as we know anything of human history. The relation of woman to man was a relation of inferiority and of incapacity to act for herself in all the important transactions of life. Woman was not permitted to vote; she could hold no office, except that by a strange anomaly she could occupy the throne of some of the most powerful and highly civilized monarchies of the earth. The married woman could hold no property; could make no contract; had no lawful control over her own children or her own person; she could not make a will; the custom of society shut her out from the learned professions and from all profitable occupations. It was deemed unbecoming for her to speak in public, and in many parts of the world to appear in public without an escort. If those who ask now that the vote of woman shall be counted in the United States have any prejudice to encounter, let those who feel it remember that forty years ago it would have seemed far more monstrous to them to do away with the condition of things that I have described, than it does to-day to count the votes of their wives, or their sisters, or their mothers.

To-day woman manages her property; she has the control of her own person; she is admitted to the bar of the Supreme Court of the United States, and to the pulpit; she manages the post office; she is librarian of the public library; she conducts the school; she practices medicine; she is head of the hospital; she has elevated the calling of the trained nurse to a high rank among liberal professions. If a remnant of the ancient barbarism is sometimes discovered anywhere lurking among the mass of our statutes men are filled with wonder and disbelief when the fact is made known; and a remedy is at once applied. No man can be found so conservative as to desire to take a backward step in any of these things.

THE SUFFRAGE QUESTION.

Now, the debate between the advocates of woman suffrage and its opponents is, to my mind, but a contest between two theories of the function of the State. If the State is to do nothing or to do little but to raise and discipline armies, to build jails, and to establish police courts, the less woman has to do with it the better for her, and the better for the State, except, that even here the State must largely depend upon her for the instrumentalities which are to diminish the evil of war and lessen its horrors. If, on the other hand, it is so to use its forces as to put an end to these things; if education, justice, science, art, charity, the promotion of commerce and manufacture, the healing of diseases, the promoting everywhere increased reverence for the individual soul, be a function to which its great forces are to be devoted in the future, then it is indispensable that woman should have in its management her full and equal share.

If to clothe woman with the elective franchise is to take from her a tithe of her womanhood; if she is to become less gentle, modest, affectionate, pure, sweet, we abandon the field at once. If to impose upon her political duties is to be inconsistent with her supreme duties at home, she must still devote herself to the latter and keep aloof from the former. But I believe that the perfect State, according to my conception of it as the great example and instrument of self-government, needs the element of perfect womanhood, according to the American and the English conception of womanhood. I believe that the accomplishment by this vast force and influence, the concentrated power of the republic, of results for humanity not otherwise to be attained, can be made easier and surer by the aid of the qualities which the women of the republic alone can furnish.

GEORGE F. HOAR.

SENATOR GEORGE F. HOAR, OF MASSACHUSETTS.

FROM GOV. THOMAS.

He Says That Woman's Suffrage has Passed the Experimental State in Colorado and is now Established.

Woman suffrage has passed its experimental stages in Colorado, and the public verdict is one of approval. Only those who expected a moral transformation from its adoption have been disappointed. Those of us who believed that women should assume their proportion of public responsibility, and secure as individuals the benefits of a broader citizenship, and that through the suffrage, the general standard of womanhood would be uplifted, have reason to feel that our opinions have been sustained by the experiences of the past four years.

Women are prone to regard the possession of the franchise as a serious public trust, and they vote for the most part from a sense of duty. To perform this duty properly they seek to inform themselves concerning public questions, and in doing this they naturally extend their inquiries into other fields of knowledge. Their clubs are devoted to discussions and criticisms, to the mastery of parliamentary rules and other details of procedure, which are only more natural to men because the latter have had more need to know them. Our women are consequently making mental progress; enlarging the horizon of their information and demonstrating the truth of Wendell Phillips' reflection that they have been superficial in their mental acquirements, only when their environments made it unnecessary for them to be anything else. I think it safe to say that the women of Colorado, now five years on their way of suffrage, are as well posted and as capable of voting intelligently upon current political and industrial problems as any other class of voters in the United States; and that their sense of duty involved in the proper discharge of their political rights is higher than that of the average male voter.

Nor has the Colorado woman lost any of her feminine graces or charms through her performance of public duty. The home circle, the vocations of wife, mother and daughter, are unimpaired by contact with political life. The ghost of woman's degradation through the investiture of the suffrage has never materialized in Colorado. I can, therefore, say without hesitation that woman's enjoyment of political right and prerogative is wholly compatible with every duty and requirement of her daily life.

To the bread-winning portion of the sex the ballot is a boon. She is a factor whose power must be respected. Like her brother, she is to be reckoned with at the polls. Hence it is her buckler against industrial wrong, her protection against the constant tendency to reduce her wages because of her helplessness. If no other reason existed for conferring this right upon womankind, this, to the man of justice, should be all-sufficient.

One curious effect of woman suffrage has not yet been much commented on. It is that as a rule the woman of the half-world prefers not to vote, and generally will not unless she is pressed or coerced to do so. One of the stock arguments against the granting of the privilege has been that this class will do most of the voting and exert most of the influence. It is well founded in theory, but in practice the pleasing fact seems to be otherwise. I think the reason for this is that these poor creatures are, more than any others, the sport and plaything of local political pulls and spites and jealousies. They fear that by voting they will incur the animosity of the powers that "be" or "may be," and therefore take refuge in abstention. But whatever the reason, the end predicted from this source has not yet materialized.

Another advantage to be briefly noticed is the higher tone which prevails in the deliberations of caucuses and conventions. Men and women become excited and passionate at these gatherings, but the profanity and vulgarity of the old regime have departed. Violent disturbances are practically unknown. The presence of women elevates the deliberations of assemblies and reminds us that at these places, as at all others, we should be gentlemen.

Some of the good results of woman suffrage, briefly summarized, are:

Increased responsibility resulting in the acquisition of knowledge, thus broadening the mental horizon of women generally.

Increased capacity for the intelligent exercise of the suffrage, which is regarded as the imposition of a duty rather than the grant of a privilege.

The compatibility of every womanly trait with every political prerogative.

The elevation of the working woman by the possession of political power, thus enabling her to fight life's battles on terms of equality with competitors.

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C. S. THOMAS.

Executive Chamber,
Denver, Colo.

HE TAKES PLEASURE IN WRITING AN ARTICLE ON HIS FAVORITE TOPIC FOR OUR SUBSCRIBERS.

GOVERNOR C. S. THOMAS, OF COLORADO, WHO APPROVES OF WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE.

CLARA BARTON SELDOM DEPARTS FROM HER OWN FIELD OF LABOR, BUT SHE MAKES AN EXCEPTION IN THE ACCOMPANYING STIRRING APPEAL.

THE PICTURE OF CLARA BARTON WHICH THE RED CROSS WORKERS WILL USE IN PAINTING A LIFE-SIZE HEAD AS A MEMORIAL OF THEIR LEADER.

MISS BARTON'S APPEAL.

Man who owes so Much to Woman Should not Hesitate About Granting to her This Piece of Simple Justice.

It was a surprise to me that my opinions either way should be held of sufficient importance to be mentioned. What difference could it make to others what I approved or disapproved, believed or disbelieved in? But as I reflected upon it it did occur to me that perhaps it ought to be of sufficient importance to myself to induce me to take the opportunity which offers at this moment to make my record a trifle more clear, if possible, and this will require very little time.

I believe I must have been born believing in the full right of woman to all the privileges and positions which nature and justice accord to her in common with other human beings. Perfectly equal rights—human rights. There was never any question in my mind in regard to this. I did not purchase my freedom with a price; I was born free; and when, as a younger woman, I heard the subject discussed, it seemed simply ridiculous that any sensible, rational person should question it. And when, later, the phase of woman's right to suffrage came up, it was to me only a part of the whole, just as natural, just as right, and just as certain to take place.

And whenever I have been urged, as a petitioner, to ask for this privilege for woman, a kind of dazed, bewildered feeling has come over me.

Of whom should I ask this privilege? Who possessed the right to confer it? Who had greater right than woman herself? Was it man, and if so, where did he get it? Who conferred it upon him? He depended upon woman for his being, his very existence, nurture, and rearing. More fitting that she should have conferred it upon him.

Was it governments? What were they but the voice of the people? What gave them their power? Was it divinely conferred? Alas! no; or they would have been better, purer, more just and stable.

Was it force of arms—war? Who furnished the warriors? Who but the mothers? Who reared the sons and taught them that liberty and their country were worth their blood? Who gave them up, wept their fall, nursed them in suffering, and mourned them dead?

Was it labor? Women have always, as a rule, worked harder than men.

Was it capital? Woman has furnished her share up to the present hour. Who, then, can give her the right, and on what basis? Who can withhold it?

In regard to my nationality, I was born in the old Huguenot town of Oxford, Mass., U. S. A. My father and mother were born there. My grandfathers and grandmothers, with two exceptions, were born, lived, died, and were buried there.

There is, once in a while, a monarch who denies the right of man to place a crown upon his head. Only the Great Jehovah can crown and annoint him for his work, and he reaches out, takes the crown, and places it upon his head with his own hand. I suspect that this is in effect what woman is doing to-day. Virtually there is no one to give her the right to govern herself, as men govern themselves by self-made and self-approved laws of the land. But in one way or another, sooner or later, she is coming to it. And the number of thoughtful and right-minded men who will oppose, will be much smaller than we think; and when it is really an accomplished fact, all will wonder, as I have done, what the objection ever was. CLARA BARTON.

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TELEPHONE ISSUE

Discussed at Length Before City Council Last Night

The Globe Company Heard on its Petition for Franchise — The Hearing Again Continued for Two Weeks

The regular meeting of the board of aldermen was held last evening and after an hour of regular business the hearing of the Globe Telephone company continued from the last meeting was resumed. Mayor Crowley presided.

There were several petitions referred to the proper committees. A $35,000 resolution to pay Daniel Gage the award in his suit for damages was passed and the joint resolution providing for the purchase of a boat and grappling irons to be used for the recovery of drowned bodies was passed in concurrence.

The report of the committee on sewers recommending the construction of a sewer in Manchester street was read. The estimated expense is $480 and the probable amount of assessment on the abutters $240. Mr. Dimon said that a mill there had been obliged to empty into the street and the board of health has peremptorily ordered that the nuisance be corrected. The resolution accompanying the report, providing for the building of the sewer, was passed without oposition.

An order for the state election Tuesday, Nov. 7, was passed. This includes the election for sheriff and a notice to that effect was read.

A resolution to transfer $600,000 from the general treasury fund to pay temporary loans in anticipation of taxes was passed.

Resolutions to accept sidewalks in Westford street, in Tyler Park, westerly side of Robbins street, in Fort Hill avenue and on the westerly side of School street from Broadway, north, were passed. The recommendation that a grist of petitioners be given leave to withdraw, was endorsed.

Monthly reports were placed on file in concurrence with the lower board and sidewalk assessments were confirmed in concurrence.

The mayor presented his list of precinct officers which goes over until the next meeting. Aldermen Wilder and Chapin were appointed a committee to meet the selectmen of Chelmsford on the question of the town line.

A committee from the Trades and Labor council was present and a petition from them was read asking for a hearing.

It was voted to give it at the next meeting of the board.

Building licenses were granted and a communication was read from the Massachusetts Telephone and Telegraph company, asking that its hearing be given at the next meeting of the board, officers of the company, who desired to attend being unable to be present. It was so voted.

The telephone hearing was then taken up.

The remonstrance had been opened at the previous meeting and was resumed, the first speaker being Samuel L. Powers, counsel for the New England company. He said the New England company was organized sixteen years ago and operated in the New England states. Ninety-five per cent. of the capital was owned in Massachusetts and more stock was held in Lowell than in any other city of its size. Such a company had a right, he claimed, to oppose the petition of a corporation coming from another state. The New England company was found to give good service for reasonable rates and for a fair return.

"The New England company, managed by Massachusetts men and Massachusetts money, desire to deal fairly with Massachusetts people," he continued. "It has built up a great business. In four states it has 50,000 subscribers, more than there are in the whole of France, and nearly as many as in England. This has taken brains and capital. We do not say that the service is perfect or the art of telephones entirely understood. It is not as good as it will be in five years more. All that the New England company is trying to do is to earn 6 per cent. upon its capital stock. The largest dividend that it ever paid was $6 on a share and the stock sells at $150 or $151. Not even the enemies of the company pretend that it is over-capitalized. If stock sells so far above par when the directors avow that they do not intend to earn over 6 per cent., then there must be something solid behind it.

"You may think that your rates are high in Lowell. We are willing that a special committee from your board should look into the question of what we make in Lowell. We have nothing to hide from you. Averaging all the telephones in Lowell, you pay 2 1-5 cents whenever you use your telephone. Is that unreasonable? For that price, or about what it costs you to buy a stamp, you call up 1350 subscribers any part of the day or night or on Sunday to talk for five minutes. A letter would cost the other man a stamp before you got a reply, and I do not include the cost of paper and envelopes.

"In Boston the average cost to telephone was five cents and now, with over 20,00 subscribers, the cost there is 1½ cents. The cost will decrease in Lowell in the future. The policy of our company is that all that we earn over 6 per cent. shall be given to the subscribers in reduced rates. Does your railway or gas company say that? I will wager that there is not another corporation in New England that has such a system.

"I believe that it is the duty of every public service corporation to decrease its rates when it earns more than a reasonable return on the money invested. This may seem extreme to some corporation men, but it is a condition that must be faced in Massachusetts.

"Mr. Kirk of New Jersey, at the last hearing, stated that it would cost $105 a subscriber for a metallic circuit. That seems small to us, for we place the cost at $250. He proposed to charge $15 a year for telephones, but his taxes and depreciation, in one year would amount to $15, and this takes no account of labor and maintenance. Fifty per cent. of the money that we earn is paid out to labor.

"It is ridiculous to talk of $15 telephones in Lowell. I would like nothing better than a special committee to look into this question of how much money we are making in Lowell on the $250,000 invested here. Mr. Kirk stated that in Paterson, N. J., the old company had cut rates because of competition. This is not so. The rates have not been cut, but are higher than in Lowell. They have a 500 call rate for $25 a year, but it is on an eight party line. It appears that the old company is growing all the time. Why doesn't the new company, with its $15 a year rate, take the whole field? It must be because the new company does not give as good service, or because the people have no confidence that it has come to stay.

"You have an example of competition near at hand in the failure of the competing company in Manchester, where a $10,000 plant was sold at a receiver's sale for $8000, and found no purchaser but the New England company. There have been seven or eight competing companies in Massachusetts and only one of them survives, the little company in Haverhill. You take away the opportunity of the stock jobbers, and you take away their incentive to build telephone lines. These companies organized under Delaware and New Jersey laws are raising their money by selling stock, and it is the men who put in the hard cash who meet the losses.

"The New England company stands here as representing Massachusetts men and Massachusetts money willing to do its duty under the laws of the state. It cannot give a $15 service. It buys its supplies in the lowest market, and it can economize in but one manner, in labor. It has hired American labor at American wages. Cheaper labor is to be found if we change the system. You have never seen us doing our work in Lowell by contract labor. We could have done it cheaper, but it was not our system.

"We are giving you the best service possible. But, you say, we should do something more for the city. Are we doing nothing for the city? We are one of your largest taxpayers. The Globe company offered to pay you 5 per cent. on their net earnings. There will be no net earnings on the rate proposed. How much would they pay you in taxes. They offer free telephones, but our taxes amount to several dollars to every one you pay us.

Alderman Chapin said he understood that the Globe company did not promise a $15 rate but intended to charge $30 a year.

Edward D. McVey appeared in remonstrance to the Globe company's petition, believing in municipal telephones, but he said that between the two companies, his sympathies would be with the Globe company. The New England company, he claimed, valued its franchise at $15,000,000 and has sold extra stock not for development but for the benefit of its stockholders. All companies asking for franchise, he thought were stock jobbers. The New England company had the right under New York laws to issue five million more of stock. All companies organized in New York were stock jobers.

Mr. McVey spoke at considerable length and Alderman Derby asked several questions of Mr. Powers. The latter said that in Lowell about $200 was represented on each telephone. He denied that the investment was as high as $700 per instrument. The comparatively small number of subscribers in Lowell was due to the fact that it has so large a mill population.

In reply to other questions, Mr. Powers said: "It can be no stock jobbing scheme when we have had the right to issue more stock for 15 years, and have never done it until last year, when we desired to retire a million dollars' worth of bonds. The company owes three million dollars borrowed for construction."

John J. Harvey, Esq., appearing for the petitioners, disclaimed any intent of the Globe company to give telephone service for $15. He said the rates would be those set forth in the petition. The company made no issue with the New England company, for the service it was giving but it stood ready to begin to construct a telephone exchange in Lowell within a reasonable time after a franchise was granted.

At 11 o'clock the hearing was continued for two weeks.

COMMON COUNCIL.

A meeting of the common council was also held last night. It was a special meeting and nineteen member were present. The principal business was the $35,000 loan resolution to pay the court award of damages to Daniel Gage. City Solicitor Qua had been invited to speak before the body in explanation of the matter and he did so at some length. He reviewed the history of the Pawtucket grade crossing and the suit that was the outcome of the construction of the road. He said it was necessary to pay the award at once. The railroad will pay back 65 per cent. of the amount to the city and the state will pay 25 per cent., leaving only 10 per cent. as the city's share.

Mr. Qua said these amounts would be paid by the railroad company and the state in a few weeks.

The city will have to borrow the money and the loan resolution was passed without a dissenting voice.

Resolutions to accept sidewalks in Westford, Robbins and School street and Fort Hill avenue were passed and leave to withdraw was granted on 11 petitions in which the improvements asked have already been made.

A grist of sidewalk assessments were confirmed and monthly reports were placed on file.

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The pupils and teachers of the Varnum school were startled yesterday afternoon when Roy Stevens, a pupil, accidentally discharged a 22-calibre revolver in school. Fortunately for him the weapon contained nothing more dangerous than blank cartridges.

Young Stevens was alone in a class room and just before the close of school yesterday forenoon he took the weapon from his pocket and began to fool with it. Placing it against his face he pulled the trigger, evidently thinking that it was not loaded and a loud report echoed through the corridors. The youngster was not seriously injured, however, his face being somewhat scorched by the powder and the upper part of his mouth being lacerated. He laughed at the consternation he had created and apparently did not suffer to any appreciable extent. He was a pupil in Miss Brandon's room.

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RUNS OVER TWO SMALL BOYS.

George Burkinhead, aged 11 years, and residing at 141 Middlesex street, and John H. Lussier aged 9 years and living at 1407 Middlesex street were run over on Middlesex street shortly before 6 o'clock last night by a young man who was driving a team at a rapid pace and who, it is said, paid no attention to the little fellows. A street car conductor tried to stop the driver of the team to inquire his name but the fellow wouldn't stop. Some of the girls who were just coming from work from Pickering's hosiery and who saw the accident, rushed out into the street and compelled the man to give his name, which he said was Pinault.

A doctor was summoned to attend the Burkinhead boy, but it was found that no bones were broken. Lieut. Brosnan investigated the case and inasmuch as no serious results are likely to follow, no arrest is likely to be made.

SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING.

The semi-annual meeting of the Men's League of the Paige Street Free Baptist church was held Monday evening and there was a full attendance. Officers elected were: President, Elmer Brennan; vice president, W. O. Brown; secretary, Ernest J. Crawford; treasurer, Joseph Landry. The retiring officers were given vote of thanks. Sub committees are to be appointed later.

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Billy Cardiner Defeated by Andy Daley

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—At the Lenox Athletic club last night Eddy Santry of Chicago knocked out Ben Jordan, the featherweight champion of England and the only but who ever received a decision over George Dixon at the weights, after a little less than two minutes of fighting in the 16th round of one of the fastest fights that has taken place in this vicinity for some time.

Until the knockout Jordan was far ahead on points, but Santry's blows were truer to the mark and won him the battle. The little Englishman made a game fight but only upheld his standing as a boxer and proved that he could not stay the limit with a clever and hard hitter. Santry made the fight of his life and proved one of the greatest surprises of the season. He fought a cool, steady fight and showed excellent ring generalship and is likely to prove a hard proposition to many who aspire to championship honors.

About 4000 spectators were in the club house when the opening bout was put on. Andy Daly of Boston and Billy Gardner of Lowell were the principals, scheduled to go six rounds at 130 pounds. Daly was the aggressor from the start and kept Gardner on the move continually. The Lowell lad took too long in getting set and Daly jabbed the left to the face repeatedly and received the referee's decision at the close.

Another preliminary of 10 rounds at 135 pounds brought together Jim Dunne of Fall River and Percy McIntyre of New York. Both men fought fast but McIntyre, although the smaller, wore down his opponent with stiff body blows, and during the latter part of the bout had Dunne almost out. McIntyre was awarded the decision.

Before the principals appeared the English boxers, Harry Ware, Dave Wallace and Will Curley, were introduced and received a hearty greeting. George Dixon was then introduced and was given an ovation. Jordan was the first to enter the ring. Santry appeared a moment later. Both stripped well but Santry had a slight advantage in height. Jordan was a 2 to 1 favorite in the betting but Santry seemed to have few willing to back him.

SMOKE TALK

AND ENTERTAINMENT HELD IN HIBERNIAN HALL.

After the regular business meeting of Division 11, A. O. H., last evening, a smoke talk and entertainment were tendered by Treasurer Charles H. Molloy to his fellow members and some invited friends.

A very pleasing entertainment was given, the talent being provided by Mr. William F. Healy. The program included piano solos by William J. Cowdrey of North Billerica; violin and piano solos by Prof. O'Rourke; song by Dr. Joseph F. Mulcahy; song, John Kane; recitation by Thomas Kelleher; song, Thomas J. Tobin; song, Fessor Dowd of Salem; solo by Dr. James McAdams; address and song by James O'Sullivan. There were also other songs and recitations which were ably rendered.

Refreshments were served during the evening and Dennis J. Corcoran, who presided over this department was complimented by those present for his untiring work. At the close of the smoke talk an informal vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Molloy for his hospitality.

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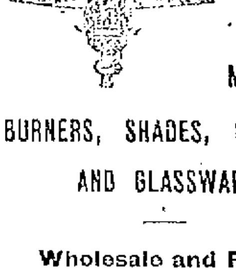
Special classes in Art and Textile Design, $15 per term. Modern languages; French, German and Spanish, $9 per term, for both women and men.

Evening Classes Begin Oct. 16th.

Cotton Spinning, Woolen and Worsted Spinning, Designing, Chemistry and Dyeing, Warp Preparation and Weaving. Entrance examinations for new class, Thursday, Sept. 28, at 7 p. m. at the school. Tuition in the evening classes will be free to residents of Lowell. Application may be made by postal card. For further information address WM. W. CROSBY, Prin. Catalogue free.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SPECIAL NOTICES.

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Steamship tickets to and from Boston, New York, Queenstown, Liverpool and all parts of the world sold on the Cunard Dominion, White Star, American, Anchor, Allan, French and German lines. Drafts issued for £1 and upwards on Ireland, England and all parts of Europe. English sovereigns bought and sold at Murphy's, steamship agency, 18 Appleton street.

LOCAL NEWS.

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A PLEASANT RECEPTION.

A happy gathering at the rooms of Mrs. Minnie Swallow, matron of the Hon Marche building, was held last evening, the occasion being in honor of Mrs. E. Greenhalge of Philadelphia. It was Mrs. Greenhalge's first visit in seven years and the dozen or more friends who assembled at the matron's cosy rooms exerted every effort to make that estimable lady feel that time but strengthens the bonds of friendship. A social time, interspersed with song and story reminiscent of the days of yore, passed the hours of the evening most pleasantly. The D. L. Page company served a repast during the evening. A happy feature of the evening was the readings of Mrs. Leggatt who entertained the assemblage with her inimitable impersonations.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

The marriage of Mr. John Barrett of Lowell and Miss Bridget McPhips of North Chelmsford, will take place at 3.30 o'clock this afternoon at the parochial residence of St John's church.

A large number of the members of the North Chelmsford Debating society attended the debate of the West Chelmsford Debating society which was held in Marshall's hall, West Chelmsford Saturday evening. The subject under discussion was "Resolved, That the principle of electing representatives to the Massachusetts legislature for two consecutive terms is in the interest of good government.

Messrs. John J. Gray and Walter Finch two well known young men of this village, have gone to Providence, R. I.

Mr. John McTague of Boston spent Sunday with his folks in North Chelmsford.

Business is booming in the Chelmsford foundry at the present time and it is expected that it will continue good for many months yet.

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OFFICER DUNLAVEY, WHO HAS BEEN DISMISSED FROM THE POLICE FORCE FOR NEGLECT OF DUTY.

MINISTERS MEET

Semi-Annual Session of Andover Conference

AT NEW PAWTUCKET CHURCH

Addresses by the Various Ministers Present

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At 3 o'clock p. m., the conference was called to order by Rev. Willis D. Leland and G. E. Hood of Lawrence was chosen moderator.

A. W. Burnham for the committee on program, reported the program as printed, recommending one slight change. The program was adopted with the change as recommended.

A business committee was appointed as follows: Rev. Charles L. Merriam, Rev. John P. Richardson, Deacon Jacob Emerson of Methuen.

On motion of Rev. W. D. Leland, the matter of appointing a home missionary committee was referred to the business committee.

The records of the last meeting of the conference were read by the scribe, Mr. A. W. Burnham and accepted by the conference.

A devotional service was led by Rev. John P. Richardson of Dracut.

An address on "The Clash of the Races" was given by Rev. G. H. Gutterson of Boston. He spoke in part as follows:

"There is great diversity of opinion about the righteousness and reasonableness of war. I have nothing to say about that. But anyone who studies history must know that likes clash in this world, and when they gather to themselves champions and those on opposite sides meet, human life flows like water and money is of no consequence, only that one should triumph over the other.

"It is not altogether an accident, that this great Congregational missionary society is called the American Missionary association. The word 'American' is synonymous with 'missionary.' Four distinct portions of peoples stand before us as objects of our work, the negro, the Indian, the Mongolian and the white man. No English speaking race ever had the problem before it that we have today, of dealing with the black man. It is a practically easy matter for England to deal with its colonies.

"It is a tragic thought that the north paid almost as dearly as the south, in men and money, for the solution of that great question, whether constitutional government should remain unimpaired in this country. We did not believe in holding slaves, but when it came to the settlement of that question, we in the north had to pour out our blood and money to help settle conditions for which we were not responsible. So in this further and final settlement of it by the peaceful methods of mission work, the burden rests heavily on the north.

"When the Spanish conflict had ended and the smoke of these guns had died away, we found lying out there in the Atlantic a beautiful island with a million people on it almost; a people fallen to our lot, bound to us by ties against which we may struggle and of which we may complain, and wish that there had been no war, but which are tied to us by the logic of God's purposes.

"In your thought and prayer and gifts, remember these undeveloped portions of humanity to which we are tied and while we welcome our naval heroes let us go forth to the more peaceful methods of bringing in the kingdom of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ."

Rev. J. H. Pettee, D.D., of Boston followed with an address on "Forward Movement in Japan." He said that today the home missions are extending the world over, so that it almost seems that there is no such thing as foreign missions. Two or one, they stand or fall together. He made a plea for the work in Japan and said that Japan loves and believes in America. If there were no other consideration, it is our duty at least to offset the evil influences that go to Japan from America.

G. E. Hood of Lawrence spoke for the Massachusetts Home Missionary society. He said that the Swent fund, which has been so extensively used in propagating the work, will be exhausted next April, and he urged the conference to see to it that the churches, where there are foreigners in the community, that need assistance in the support of the gospel as establishment of a mission, will look after these foreigners and be able to report to the American Missionary association in Boston.

"Congregationalism in other English speaking countries than the United States" was the subject of a short address by Rev. F. H. Page of Lawrence. He was followed by Rev. W. A. Bartlett on "Congregationalism in the United States."

Rev. Wm. E. Walcott of Lawrence spoke on "An Efficient Church."

The evening session opened at 7 o'clock with a report of the committee on business. It recommended appointment of officers and committees as follows: Statistical secretary for three years, John L. Brewster of Andover; committee on mission churches, Rev. F. R. Shipman of Andover, Rev. C. W. Huntington of Lowell, Rev. R. W. Dunbar of North Chelmsford; member of committee of arrangements for four years, Rev. F. A. Wilson of Andover. The report also recommended the meeting of the conference in the spring of 1900 be held in the Highland church, Lowell.

Committe on forward movement of the A. B. C. F. M., Rev. F. H. Page, Rev. F. A. Warfield, Rev. Mr. Oilphant.

The above recommendations were adopted.

A resolution urging that the churches be urged to make one annual gift from either the church or Sunday school, to the American Bible society or the Massachusetts Bible society was voted down after discussion.

A rising vote of thanks was tendered the ladies of the Pawtucket church for their entertainment.

Deacon J. G. Buttrick, who at the spring conference was appointed a delegate to the general association, reported that on the matter of excessive taxation imposed on the various conferences the association expressed its determination to reduce the expenses as rapidly as possible. The large apportionment upon the churches had been largely due to the debt contracted in the establishment of the board.

The devotional service was led by Rev. F. A. Wilson of Andover.

The first speaker of the evening was Rev. F. R. Shipman of Andover. His subject was, "What is Excessive Luxury?"

Luxury is excessive, which tends to enervate the body. What that is, must be largely determined by circumstances.

All luxury is excessive which tends to demoralize the mind.

There is room in the world for a handsome house, room for the man who pays $10,000 for Millais' Angelus; room for the man who builds a Shamrock or a Columbia.

All luxuries are excessive, which dull ones' sympathies with his fellow men and the world's great needs. Nothing is wrongly bought if it is actually used to render one's self a more efficient social servant.

Many Christians of our time live self and silken lives, and there is no likelihood that their numbers will diminish. There is danger that we shall forget the sad cry of the poor and the needs of the heathen. We need to practice for ourselves the system of giving tithes to God.

Rev. Edwin Smith of Hallowell spoke on "Putting in the Sickle," applying the subject to work in the Christian church.

Rev. G. H. Hewitt of the Eliot church was the last speaker, and his subject was "Fields Already White for the Harvest."

The conference closed at 8.30.

The following churches were represented in the conference by pastors and delegates:

Andover: South, West, Free, Bullardvale, Seminary.

Chelmsford: North, Central.

Dracut: First Central.

Lawrence: Lawrence street, South, Riverside, Trinity, United.

Lowell: Pawtucket, First, First Trinitarian, Eliot, John street, Kirk street, High street, French, Highland, Swedish, Norwegian.

Methuen: First.

North Andover, Tewksbury and Tyngsboro.

The decorations of the new Pawtucket church, in honor of the conference, were worthy of special mention. They consisted of ferns and autumn leaves, a large cross made of the latter standing at one side of the platform.

Interest on taxes will begin after Friday, Oct. 20.

LINCOLN CLUB

MANAGED A SUCCESSFUL WHIST PARTY LAST NIGHT.

The Lincoln club managed a successful whist party at their rooms in the Hildreth building last evening. There were 16 tables.

The prizes and their winners are as follows: First gentleman's prize three pairs of suspenders, won by Henry Boott with 45 points; Messrs. John Orral and H. Trollope tied for second place with 41 points each. The cards were cut, and as a result, Mr. Trollope was awarded second, while Mr. Orral received third prize, a pewter mug and a fancy pack of cards respectively.

The winner of the ladies' first prize, a salad set, was Mrs. Clara Smith, 43 points; second prize, silver spoon, Mrs. William Hounsell, 36 points; third prize, salad fork, Miss Victoria Denault, 33 points.

MRS. RORER

the well known cooking expert, lecturer and authority on pure food, says: "Cottolene is a pure and unadulterated article, and a much more healthful product than lard, and as a substitute for the same I heartily recommend it."

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EXCITING RUNAWAY.

Mrs. Dr. Drew and her daughter, Mrs. F. M. Beede and her son, F. H. Drew, while out riding in their carriage yesterday afternoon had a narrow escape from fatal injuries. The horse attached to the carriage became frightened near the corner of Westford and School street and ran away. Mrs. Beede jumped out before the animal had gone far and escaped while her mother was thrown into the street by the collision of the vehicle with a post. Mr. Drew who had held the reins all during the exciting ride brought the animal to a standstill, but not before the carriage was wrecked.

THE PEVEY MILLS.

Papers in the sale of the old Pevey mill were passed yesterday. The purchaser did not buy all the land. The engine, boilers and shafting were included in the sale.

Rare Bargains

The two words at the head of this advertisement tell you just what the Central Street Dry Goods, Fancy Goods, Millinery, Cloak and Suit House are doing.

Giving the Trading Public "RARE BARGAINS"

And that means Bargains which are not to be obtained elsewhere and are always found to be just as represented, and that's why they are "Rare." And what was true of our great Wrapper sales a few days ago will be found equally true of the Blankets, Comfortables and other goods, to which we call your attention today.

We commence the Sale of Special Lots of Blankets today. 1 Case of Strictly All Wool, 1 1-4 size Blankets, which weigh full 5 1-4 pounds at $3.50 a pair, actually sold in Lowell and Boston at $4.00 and $4.50 pair. (See them in our window.)

Another lot, full size 1 1-4 Blankets, at $2.49 a pair; actually worth $3.00. Also another case full size 1 1-4 at $1.98 a pair; actually worth $2.50. Also 1 lot Extra Heavy 1 2-4 size Wool Blankets at $5.98; worth $8.00 a pair. Come and see and you will surely buy your Blankets here.

We are selling Comfortables, large size, with clean white fillings (equal to home made) at $1.25 each, thoroughly tufted, worth $1.75. Another lot full size at $1.50, the like of which cannot be found in Lowell.

The Comfortable we propose to sell at $1.98 is simply beyond comparison in Lowell. We will not attempt to describe it, but would like the privilege of showing to you. If you have anything in the line of Blankets or Comfortables to buy, you can't afford to pass us by unnoticed.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

We are to put on sale Thursday next, about THIRTEEN HUNDRED Dozen Goods that are needed by every family in this country. It's a big

"SPECIAL DRIVE" SALE.

and we intended to advertise it this morning, but are too tired to do it justice. Tomorrow, Thursday Morning you will find the advertisement in this paper. We will say here, however, that for the past forty odd years we have been honestly endeavoring to meet the wants of the public and we believe that the sale to commence on Thursday, will outrank any previous one we have ever had. Keep well posted, it always pays you when honest reliable concerns are at the front.

Cook, Taylor & Co.,

CENTRAL ST. STORE.

Queen Quality Shoes for Women, New Lasts, $4.00 Quality For $3.00

SEE OUR 9 STORE WINDOWS.

Bon Marché

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FIRST WINDOW

Blankets and Comforters

One lot Comforters, reversible, and only 49c each.

One lot perfect Blankets, white, tan and grey, only 42c pair.

One lot Comforters, full bed size, chintz covered, only 69c each.

One lot fine teasled Fancy Blankets one price, 69c pair.

One lot Bed Puffs and Comforters, both sides alike, only 98c.

One lot 11-4 Fancy Border, teasled blankets for 79c pair.

One lot dark color heavy weight Comforters for 89c each.

One lot extra heavy twilled Blankets large size only, $1.25 pair.

One lot fine Satine and Silkaline covered Puffs and Quilts, $1.25.

One lot heavy, part wool, blankets, to close at $2.49 a pair.

One lot satine covered fluffy, filled Comforters, with scroll stitching, for only $1.62.

A few pairs left of the soiled all wool Blankets, $4.50, $5.00 and $5.50 for $3.49 a pair.

See our Puffs and Quilts in the window at $1.39 and $1.49, satine covered, etc. Big value.

SECOND WINDOW

Dress Goods and Silks

One lot all wool Tricot Cloths, new weave, 36 inch wide, grey mix, brown mix, blue mix and plain colors, only 25c yard.

One lot Novelty Dress Goods, in the granite weaves, Zebelines and Jamestown fancies, 46 to 54 inches wide, all pure wool, worth 75c and 98c, our price 49c yard.

One lot Venetian Cloths in brown, navy, green and black, full 50-inch wide all pure wool and only 79c yard.

One lot 75c and 98c Fancy Silks for 37c yard.

One lot 50c Fancy Silks for 29c yard.

One lot best 50c Novelty Dress Goods, 40 to 45 inches wide, our price 33c yard.

The latest thing in dress goods is the Finetta Cloth, 46 inches, all wool, our price 75c.

Have you seen our new plaids, all pure wool, at 75c?

See the fine Scotch plaid dress goods just in, that we are retailing for $1 a yard.

The popular Herringbone Cheviots, 50 inches, for tailor made suits are here in navy, brown, castor and black, our price 98c yard.

THIRD WINDOW

Fall and Winter Underwear

Ladies' Jersey Vests, fleece lined, 19c each.

Ladies' Jersey Vests, silk shell neck, gusseted arms, fleeced, 25c.

The R. N. I. Vests, short and long sleeves, fine silky fleecing elastic band on pants, extra sizes and all at the same price. Our big leader at 49c.

Ladies' fine lambs' wool Jerseys and Pants, our best at 75c.

Ladies' Combination suits, Oneita style, button across and down front, our price 49c.

Ladies' Combination Suits in natural wool and white, our price 75c.

Ladies' fine natural wool and white Combination Suits, our best for 98c.

Fast black equestrienne tights, only 49c.

Children's grey Underwear 12 1-2c.

Children's Jersey Underwear, 15c.

Children's Merino underwear, 15c.

Fine Forest Mills Jersey Underwear for children, all sizes, for only 25c.

One lot odds and ends children's all wool Underwear, were 75c and over, now 49c.

Boys natural and Jersey Shirts and Drawers, our price 25c.

Children's Combination Suits, Oneita style, only 50c.

Men's natural wool, 50c Underwear, for 33c.

Men's heavy fleeced Shirts and Drawers, 49c.

Odds and ends of Men's all wool dollar Underwear, white, scarlet and natural, only 75c.

FOURTH WINDOW

Suits, Coats, Skirts, Waists

The Golf Cape is too much in evidence to require description but the demand far exceeds the supply and we are extremely fortunate in being able to show a complete assortment at the OLD PRICES.

The wrapper, that indispensable luxury, occupies a prominent place and the leaders are at 69c and 98c.

We can truly say we are unrivalled with an upward market and increased cost of production. We yet give you values surpassing previous efforts.

WAISTS. The French flannel at 98c to $5 attract attention and practicable and pretty and the mercerized at 98c to $3.95 together with a complete line of Silk Waists, make this department a rendezvous for the ladies.

In our cloak department you will see the ultra fashionable Paletot and the half length Box Coat while the Newmarket in delicate shades of tan is a much-talked-of feature. The natty coats with many rows of stitching, dip front, are beautifully lined and tailored and keep one guessing which is the proper thing.

FIFTH WINDOW

China and Kitchen Ware

Oil Stoves, with pail, complete, only $1.49.

Special Toilet Paper, special price 7 for 25c.

Fancy Toilet Lamps, complete only 89c.

Best Clothes Pins, once more, for 1c per dozen.

Rogers' A1 Tea Spoons, 89c a set.

Good Silver Spoons, nicely finished, 50c a set.

Sterling plated Knives, only 12 1-2c each.

Fancy Water sets, assorted colors, 98c set.

2-quart Water Pitchers, imitation cut glass, 10c.

See our new line of Jardinieres, a large line at little prices, beginning at 10c each.

Lamps, lamps, lamps, a huge line, prices correct.

Call and see our display of Silver, etc., for wedding presents.

SIXTH WINDOW

Walking Hats and Shapes

Large Pretty Quills, all colors and black, only 5c.

Fancy Quills, Algrettes, and feather Montures, fine goods, only 10c.

Fancy Feathers, Wings and Quills, Pompoms, and Birds, very pretty and only 25c.

Handsome Wings, bunch Quills and Fancy Feathers, our price 49c.

See our pretty Cycle Golf and Walking Hats with long quill, trimmed, a large choice, only 69c.

Walking Hats, Golf Hats, Cycle Hats, new colors, handsomely trimmed, a large selection only $1.49.

Real nobby Golf Hats in brown, navy, pearl and black, trimmed, only 98c.

Children's pretty Tam Caps, with quill, in broadcloth and velvet, our price 49c.

The new felt shapes (untrimmed) all new colors, only 49c.

All the new Turbans and large shapes in untrimmed Felt Hats, at 69c and 79c.

Pretty Grey Birds (whole birds) our price 69c.

Exquisite feathers in the breast effects, at only 79c a pair.

SEVENTH WINDOW

Fine Millinery

Trimmed Hats, 58 pretty ones, velvet with fine trimmings, special at $1.98.

41 pretty trimmed Hats, black velvet with feathers, ornaments, etc., should be $4.50; special $2.49.

See our dainty creations in trimmed headwear, all trimmed exquisitely, should be $5; special $2.98.

A beautiful lot of Trimmed Hats, black velvet with ornaments should be $5.50; special price $3.98.

Resplendent! Hats so handsome should sell at $9 or $10; best trimmings and latest shapes. Special $4.95.

Gilt, steel and rhinestone buckles at 5c to 49c or better still--see our line.

See our leader in black, brilliant ostrich plumes, worth 79c; our price 49c.

See window display of these fine goods.

EIGHTH WINDOW

Boots and Shoes

Men's $4 Box Calf Shoes to close, $2.59

Men's $2 Shoes, medium and winter weights, $1.97.

Men's Dressy Patent Leather Shoes, were $3 and $3.50, to close, $2.25.

Men's $5 and $6 Shoes, odd sizes, to close 89c.

Sorosis Shoes for women, the acme of style and comfort and wear. Be sure to get the genuine, always $3.50.

Queen Quality shoes for women, all the new lasts and styles for winter now in, $3.

Women's lace and button boots, were $3.00, to close broken sizes, only $1.97

Women's box calf Shoes, just the thing for these cool days, always $3, now $1.97.

NINTH WINDOW

Draperies and Bamboo Ware

We have just received a shipment of Bamboo Ware which we have marked very low and it's going like hot cakes.

Bamboo Easels for 34c.

Bamboo Jardiniere Stands, 69c.

Bamboo Tables, 98c.

Bamboo Book Racks, 33c.

Bamboo Music Racks, $1.29.

See Our Chamber Curtain, muslin, with ruffle and only 49c a pair.

See the line of Rockers at $1.93 and up.

We are closing out Pictures. One lot gilt frames which were 79c to go now at 39c.

One lot Pastel Pictures, gilt frames, (slightly scratched)- were $1.98, now 75c.

All our pictures at reduced prices to close.

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NIGHT EDITION

SIX O'CLOCK.

IDENTIFIED

Murdered Woman is Mrs. Frances Boyd--The Story

The body of the victim of yesterday's tragedy was identified last evening as Mrs. Frances Boyd of 297 Dutton street. The identification was made by her husband, Peter Boyd, aged 30, a blacksmith at the Merrimack Print Works. Boyd was taken to Brooks' warerooms by Officer J. B. Crowley, and at once identified the woman as that of his wife beyond any doubt.

He then went to the police station and was put through a cross-examination, and in answer to the many questions put to him told the following story: "My wife and I roomed at Mrs. Denby's boarding house at the corner of Dutton and Broadway. Last night we started out together early in the evening. I was going to see a man named Morrissey about some work, while my wife was going to a pawn shop on John street to dispose of a skirt. We parted at the corner of John and Merrimack streets, and I saw Morrissey. Later I joined my wife around on Bridge street and we started up home. We walked up Merrimack street to Malden Lane and through Malden Lane to Market, from there to Dutton and then to the room. We got to the room before nine o'clock and shortly after we got there I went to bed. In the meantime my wife went to an oil stove she had and cooked some soup for me. After I had eaten the soup in bed I lay down, handing her back the soup plate and she sat down and began reading The Lowell Sun. I fell asleep and when I woke up between 10 and 10.30 o'clock I found the lamp burning, the door open, but no sign of my wife. I put on my clothes and went down to the door to wait until the show in the People's theatre was over. I spoke to a man named Patrick Dwyer while at the door. Dwyer had been to the show. Then I went back to bed and woke up at my usual time to find that she had not returned. I heard in the house that a woman had been murdered, but went to my work and did not think to go down to the undertaker's until nearly evening."

When asked if his wife had ever gone out over night before, Mr. Boyd reluctantly replied affirmatively. He admitted, too, that his wife went occasionally, but made an honest effort to shield her faults, when questioned. When asked point blank if he had heard of her keeping company with any man he broke down and wept, but replied negatively.

The couple had been rooming at Denby's since last May. Mrs. Boyd was formerly employed as a weaver in the Merrimack and Boott mills. While the couple roomed together, they boarded apart, the woman preparing her own food in the room, while the husband ate outside. The murdered woman's maiden name was Frances Smith, and she lived in Lawrence, where her married brother, Stephen Smith, now resides. Since their marriage, the couple had never had any trouble, though while the husband is a sober, industrious and steady working man, his wife had not worked much since last May, and was known to drink. They had no children and before moving to Denbys, lived on First street. On Saturday last together they went to Lawrence to visit Mrs. Boyd's brother's family.

Mr. Boyd, while speaking with the officers, explained how his wife came to have a hat bought in Lawrence. Last summer he stated she purchased a hat in the Bon Marche in this city, and afterward wore it to Lawrence. Her sister-in-law became fascinated with it and wanted it. As a result, Mrs Boyd "swapped" it for the hat which she wore on the night of the murder.

Boyd's parents reside on School street near Middlesex, and are eminently respectable, as is he. His wife has been before the police court a few times. Boyd could give no explanation of his wife's action whatever in leaving the house, but holds drink responsible for the sad fate.

Mr. Boyd further stated that the first suspicion he had that the murdered woman might be his wife was at supper time last night when a fellow boarder read from The Sun a description of the clothing. When Boyd heard the description of the cape he said: "That's just like my wife's cape," and he immediately went out and met Officer J. B. Crowley who accompanied him to the morgue.

NOT HER WATCH.

The silver watch mentioned in the reports of the crime if stolen at the time of the tragedy was stolen from the man who accompanied Mrs. Boyd, because the latter's husband stated that she owned no watch.

WAS LIGHT-HEADED.

The murdered woman, it is said, was light-headed upon taking the least drink and her husband believes that she was not a bad woman but went off with some one while under the influence of liquor. Where the couple lived on Bridge street, Boyd states the landlady informed him one day that they would have to get other quarters as his wife made too much disturbance when under the influence of liquor. Her landlady also stated that Mrs. Boyd had a man in her room but that was the only time her husband heard of her doing wrong and he doubted the truth of the accusation. With the exception of her fondness for liquor the husband states she had always been a good wife.

MRS. PETER BOYD OF DUTTON STREET, THE MURDERED WOMAN.

ABSENCE OF DR. IRISH.

The subject of some discussion yesterday was the fact that Medical Examiner Irish was not called to conduct the post mortem examination. This was due to a misunderstanding arising apparently from an error made in the office of Dr. Irish.

It has been the custom when necessity required it, to call upon Dr. Meigs to perform autopsies. Dr. Meigs has done this work for some time in the absence of Dr. Irish and it was believed that the latter was out of town yesterday. It seems that Capt. Kew called at the office of Dr. Irish, Monday afternoon and was told by the clerk that the doctor was not in and that he had gone out of town and he would not be back until Tuesday.

When the suicide of Michael Kane was called to the attention of the police Capt. Kew telephoned to Dr. Jones and was told that Dr. Meigs had been appointed assistant medical examiner to act in the absence of Dr. Irish. Believing Dr. Irish to be out of town, according to the statement of the clerk, Capt. Kew then called Dr. Meigs. The latter responded and officiated in both cases. But in the meantime Dr. Irish had returned to this city coming in unexpectedly on an evening train on Monday night. This was not known to the police or to Dr. Meigs, however, and the consequence was that Dr. Irish was not sent for.

OFFICERS WARNED.

The officers of the different shifts last night were instructed with reference to the murder. They were warned as to the necessity of vigilance and ordered to arrest all persons who were unable to account for themselves. No definite descriptions of the murderers were given, for the simple reason that they were not obtainable.

LANDLADY'S STORY.

At Mrs. Denby's boarding house Mr. and Mrs. Boyd were spoken of quite highly, the husband particularly so. Said Mrs. Denby to The Sun reporter last evening: "Mr. Boyd told me that the murdered woman was his wife, and I tell you it gave me a shock. I can't conceive of such a thing. They were a good couple, though Mrs. Boyd did drink sometimes. Mr. Boyd never drinks and works hard every day. I never heard a cross word between them and yesterday when I heard Mrs. Boyd singing to herself while at her work, I said to her: 'My, you are happy always singing.' Then she replied, 'I might as well be that way as sad.' Another time when I spoke to her she said that she and her husband lived a happy life and added, 'No matter what I have said to my husband he has never raised his hand to me.'

I believe that some one must have got her to take liquor and then enticed her away. I don't think she would ever leave her husband over night if she was in her sober senses.

MR. DENBY TALKS.

Mr. John Denby said: "I always call Mr. Boyd at 5.30 o'clock in the morning and generally his wife answers, but this morning he answered. When he got up I told him that there had been a suicide and that a woman had been murdered during the night. He then said, 'My wife has been out all night, and she'll have to give an account of herself when she comes back. Then he went out to work and returned a little while ago to tell us that it was his wife who had been murdered."

The police upon learning of the identification went to work with renewed efforts and sought to learn where Mrs. Boyd frequented, in hope of getting a clue to the identity of the man who walked up Broadway with her. Now that her identity is known, it is not strange that she should be at the upper end of Broadway, for though at quite a distance from her home, it is a straight road from one end of the street to the other.

TWO NEW THEORIES.

Her husband states that when she went out with him she had no money, but got some at the pawn shop. At the latter place it was learned that she had pawned a skirt for which she received 50 cents. Two theories are advanced as to her disappearance from her room. One is that she had an appointment with some one and went out of the house silently and met him walking with him to the end of the street and the scene of the tragedy. The other is that with 50 cents in her possession she was able to procure liquor and went out to some neighboring kitchen bar room and while drinking there met the man with whom she took the fatal walk. Extra police were sent out last night to follow out these theories.

Suspicion at present does not rest with the man who took the walk with her, though it will if he continues to conceal his identity. With that man known and his story heard, the police believe it will be comparatively easy to run down the other three. It is the opinion of all who are working on the case that the dead woman's escort, whoever he may be, is jeopardizing his chances for liberty in the future if he remains concealed. At present it is the prevailing opinion that the first man had nothing to do with causing her death, but his continued concealment of himself from public view tends to implicate him.

DUNLAVEY DISMISSED.

Officer James Dunlavey, once a lieutenant and right hand man of Supt. Davis, and one of the oldest members on the force, was dismissed from the force by the police commissioners last evening, after a private hearing. While the public criticised him most harshly for his attitude in the affair, nothing has been heard stronger than the official report of the police board on the matter.

The report is as follows:

The board gave a hearing to Officer James Dunlavey, who is charged with neglect of duty in refusing to go to a place where a murderous assault was being committed on a woman, his neglect resulting in murder and the escape of the criminals. Dunlavey denied that he saw Bridgford, who said he saw him at Broadway and Fletcher streets, until he saw him at half past one at Gage's ice houses. Joseph Bridgford, Michael McCarty, a baker, and Daniel Donahue, watchman for the Boston Paving Co., testified that they saw Dunlavey at a quarter to one at Lavery's bakery, Fletcher and Broadway, and heard the notification of Dunlavey, who told Bridgford to go and get some one else.

Even when at his box at half past one at the ice houses, he neglected to notify headquarters. This neglect allowed the men coming off duty to go home, when otherwise they could have been sent out to hunt up the murderers and capture them. The board found it was a gross case of neglect of duty and voted that Dunlavey be dismissed from the force. The order of his dismissal was read at all roll calls.

A COINCIDENCE.

A striking coincidence in the case is the manner in which the name of Annie Collins figures in the case. It will be remembered that yesterday a woman named Clara Hamilton was quite sure from the description that the murdered woman was Annie Collins of Methuen, although when she viewed the remains she was positive that the dead woman was not Annie Collins. Last night when Mr. Boyd was talking to the police, he stated that his wife went off about seven or eight weeks ago and was brought home intoxicated by a woman named Annie Collins and a tall woman whom he didn't know.

POLICE STATEMENT.

The police wish to have the following announced for the benefit of the man who was with Mrs. Boyd on the night of the murder. They do not believe that the man had anything to do with the murder and have no intention of arresting him for murder. They believe that the man, whoever he may be, is fearful that he will be apprehended for murder and for that reason is in hiding.

WHALEN RELEASED.

Patrick Whalen, who was arrested yesterday on suspicion of being connected with the Boyd murder was released from custody this morning.

DID NOT QUARREL.

A report was started last night that the couple had quarreled early in the evening in their room, but this is denied by Mr. and Mrs. Denby, whose rooms adjoin that occupied by the Boyds.

FUNERAL THIS AFTERNOON.

Shortly after noon today Peter Boyd, the husband of the murdered woman, called at Brooks' warerooms and stated that he would like to have the funeral take place this afternoon. Though on such a short notice a funeral this afternoon was next to an impossibility, Mr. Brooks considerately put all his men to work on the preparations and the funeral will be held this afternoon.

MORE SUSPECTS ARRESTED.

Liquor Inspector Duncan and Officer Cogger made what the police think may be a good capture early this afternoon, when they arrested Peter Martin, aged 24 years, of this city, and John Quinn, aged 19, of Concord, N. H., for whom they had been searching. The pair were found in the woods in the vicinity of Walsh's mills on Meadowcroft street, which is no great distance from the scene of this morning's burglary.

When the officers came on the scene one of the men was asleep in the grass, while the other was standing. They made no resistance.

Martin is regarded as a bad man, and is not long out of jail, having been taken in two years ago for burglary and assault upon Inspector Lafontaine. Quinn is not known to the police, and he says that he met Martin a few days ago in Concord and came here with him. Martin is wanted for alleged assault on an Armenian yesterday, and Quinn is held as a suspicious person.

TWO BOSTON MEN.

Two young men of prepossessing appearance were taken in from Centralville this afternoon and scared out of a week's growth. They came here to go to work tomorrow and hired a room in Centralville. They kept so quiet that they excited suspicion. After they had given an account of themselves, they were allowed to depart.

FOUR OTHERS TAKEN.

About 3 o'clock this afternoon Officers Robinson and J. B. Crowley took in four suspicious persons, and they were awaiting examination at the time of going to press.

PAINE SPOKE

AT MEETING OF NEW HAMPSHIRE CLUB.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Oct. 11.—The New Hampshire club met at Young's hotel this afternoon. There was a liberal attendance of members and their friends. The club was addressed by Robert Treat Paine, Jr., of Boston, democratic candidate for governor of Massachusetts. Mr. Paine spoke on general politics and his talk was not of a strongly partisan nature. Regarding the campaign here, he said:

"The issue is not whether Mr. Crane shall or shall not be elected governor; republicans seem to consider it as settled that he will be inducted into office on the fourth of next January. The real verdict is wrapped up in the size of the majority; 100,00 will mean that republicans are satisfied with the way affairs have been conducted and are going to leave the direction for the future entirely in the hands of McKinley without advice. What he does they will stand by and will support as best they can. On the contrary, a majority of 30,000 will make the republicans at Washington pause in their course and give heed to the rebuke of the republicans of Massachusetts."

ANOTHER CONFERENCE

ON THE ALASKAN QUESTION TOMORROW.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Oct. 11.—Sir Louis Davies, Canadian minister of fisheries and marine, will confer again tomorrow regarding the Alaskan question with the secretary of state for the colonies, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain.

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A NEW CHAMPION

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Interesting Play Was Witnessed Today

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 11.—The second day of the women's national championship golf tournament at the Philadelphia Country club opened with foggy, warm weather. By noon, however, the sun broke through the heavy mist and soon had the course in good condition. The program for today's play consisted of the unfinished championship round of the 16 players who qualified yesterday and the consolation round of the second 16 for the trophy offered by the Women's Golf Association of Philadelphia.

The champion round went on the links first, Mrs. Marion Oliver of Albany and Miss May Barton of Irvington-on-the-Hudson being the opening pair. Mrs. Oliver won, five up and three to play.

The greatest interest centered in the pair composed of Miss Beatrix Hoyt of Southampton, L. I., and Mrs. Caleb F. Fox of Rydal, Pa. For a while the playing between the two was close, but beginning with the ninth hole, Mrs. Fox drew away and won by three up and two to play. As only the winner in the pairs qualify for the second round in the championship to be played tomorrow, Mis Hoyt is now practically the ex-champion. The summaries:

Miss Beatrix Hoyt, Shinnecock Hills Golf club, Southampton, L. I., out 60, in 49, two holes unplayed.

Mrs. Caleb F. Fox, Huntingdon Valley Country club, Rydal, Pa., out 51; in 36; two holes unplayed.

Miss Florence McNeely, Philadelphia vs. Miss Anna Sands, Newport, R. I. Miss Sands won seven up, five to play.

Mrs. A. DeWitt Cochrane, Irvington-on-the-Hudson, vs. Miss G. M. Bishop, Bridgeport, Conn. Mrs. Cochrane won by five up, three to play.

BUTLER VETS

GOING TO MANCHESTER TO THE MUSTER.

The Butler Vets will leave for Manchester master at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning on a special train. The vets will meet at their rooms at 6.30 for a effort parade before taking the train. There is no chance for an excuse this time for the best prize. The Cadet band with 25 pieces will lead the Butlers.

AN INQUEST.

An inquest on the death of Mrs. Edward J. Gaffney is being held in the police court this afternoon. It is private.

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THE SUN EXTRA

STILL A MYSTERY

New York Police Groping in the Dark

HEAD OF THE MURDERED WOMAN NOT FOUND

Pictures of Gertrude Billings Distributed

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—The police said this forenoon that little progress had been made during the night onward the identification of the woman, fragments of whose body were found Saturday and yesterday. Chief of Detectives McCluskey has a number of men running down various reports of missing women, but so far they had resulted in little or nothing of value.

The taking into custody of John McNally, William Devine and Joseph Norman, all laborers, is supposed to have some connection with the case but the police refuse to admit this. The men are looked upon as "suspicious persons."

An Italian newspaper was wrapped around one of the pieces of flesh found and an attempt was made to discover some subscriber to the paper who might be able to throw some light on the mystery. Nothing has come of this so far.

The police have begun distributing a large number of photographs of Mrs. Gertrude Billings, who has been reported missing since September 20. When she disappeared she wore a number of diamonds said to be valued at $700. There were five or six diamond rings and one ring was made of diamonds, garnets and sapphires to represent the American flag. Mrs. Billings is said to have left home under the hallucination that she had to earn her own living and her husband said she might be found in some manicurist shop.

The police hope that the woman's head will be found. No positive identification is possible without it.

This case is more difficult than that of Guldensuppe, the bath rubber. There were tattoo marks and scars on different parts of Guldensuppe's body, so that identification was easy, even in the absence of the head which was never found. In this case, there are no such marks.

The police are fearful that the woman's head was burned in a furnace. The body was probably cut up in a cellar as is indicated by the coal dust which was ground into all the fragments found thus far, and the detectives think the murderers may have burned the head, hoping thus to prevent identification.

WITH SAD HEART

COMEDIAN MAKES AUDIENCE LAUGH AT MUSIC HALL.

The spectator at the comedy as he laughs at the funny quips and pranks of the comedian little realizes that the funny man at times is sad at heart although his features never will indicate his sorrow. Among the excellent actors with the Go-On-Go-Mohawk, the Indian actress now playing at Music Hall is James Bernard, the comical Irishman and the life of the show. Mr. Bernard is a young man whose home is in a western city and he has before him a very promising career. Off the stage as on, he is light-hearted and gay, and at the Arlington Hotel Monday, was the most jovial of the guests. While at dinner, Monday, bad news came to him in the form of a despatch announcing the death of his mother in his far away home. Circumstances were such that he was compelled to play his part Monday night, which he did with his usual skill. Though the tears rolled down his cheeks as he entered the dressing room during the progress of the performance, he was the life of the cast.

DESCRIPTION OF BURGLAR.

This morning, Mrs. Knowles said that the man who assaulted her was short and wore dark clothes and a cap. He had not been located this afternoon.

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ANOTHER CRIME

Mrs. Mary Knowles Fought a Burglar

At Her Home on London Street This Morning and Was Brutally Stabbed With Evidently a Chisel—No Clue to the Burglar's Identity

While the police are yet in the dark regarding the solution of yesterday's murder mystery, their attention was called this morning to another lawless outrage, in which an elderly woman was brutally assaulted with a weapon dangerous to life while bravely struggling with the worst kind of a burglar, a marauder who entered her sleeping apartment in the night.

The victim of the brutal assault is Mrs. Mary H. Knowles, widow of the late William Knowles, who resides with her daughter, Miss Gertrude Knowles, at 48 London street, and her assailant at present is unknown to the police.

The mother and daughter occupy a flat on the ground floor of the house, and a family named Pearson lives over them. Mr. James Carney, the well-known hack driver, resides next door, and Deputy Moffatt of the police department lives almost directly across the street.

The story of the affair is very clearly told by Deputy Moffatt as follows:

"Shortly before 2 o'clock this morning my wife was awakened by screams and loud talking on the other side of the street and she at once woke me. Looking out of the window I heard voices saying that Mrs. Knowles' house across the street had been broken into. I immediately dressed and while dressing some one rang my door bell and shouted that Mrs. Knowles had been assaulted.

"I rushed to the house and found Mrs. Knowles in her bedroom, in night attire, covered with blood which streamed from a bad cut in her left forehead. The cut was fully an inch long and went into the skull. On the center of her forehead was an abrasion. Her condition seemed critical, and I ran to the fair grounds box and notified the police station telling them to send a doctor immediately. In a short time Capt. Kew, Lieut. Brosnan and Dr. T. B. Smith arrived at the house and the last named dressed Mrs. Knowles' wound.

In the meantime, I returned to the house and made an investigation. The curtain in the side window of the bedroom was torn down, as was a hair curtain on a rod in the window, the floor, window casing and sill and the wall under the window were besmeared with blood, showing that a struggle had taken place at the window. There was also blood on the outside of the house at the window and a mosquito netting which had been in a wooden frame on the outside of the window was torn off and lay on the ground nearby. I then went around to the front of the house and found that a front window on the piazza had been tampered with. At this window the mosquito netting had been torn at the catch as if the burglar had attempted to gain entrance by this window, but had given it up upon finding the window locked. At the side window, the catch of the blind was pulled out, as if the burglar in making his escape had caught his clothing in the catch, though there was no sign of torn clothing there.

"The side window was open all night to admit air to the room, and this made it comparatively easy for the burglar to enter. Mrs. Knowles was in a very serious condition when I last saw her this morning.

MRS. KNOWLES' STORY.

The victim of the assault, although making a brave struggle with the burglar, is now very ill as a result of loss of blood and the shock to her nervous system. When somewhat calmed down she told her story of the affair. She said that at an early hour she was awakened by a noise near her window, but thinking it was Mr. Carney, the hack driver, returning home after his night's work, paid no attention to it. But when she soon after heard the noise again at her bedroom window she went to the window and opening the blinds looked out but could see nothing. She then returned to bed but had hardly laid down when to her horror, a man jumped in through the window.

Mrs. Knowles jumped from the bed screaming and grappled with the burglar. As she caught him he made a break for the window, but the plucky woman held on screaming lustily. At the window the burglar lifted his arm and struck Mrs. Knowles a vicious blow with an instrument which she said was about 12 inches long and rather sharp on one end but not sharp enough to cut her hand for she grasped it and tried to wrench it away from her assailant.

The blow on the forehead so stunned her that she speedily lost strength and the burglar jumping through the window disappeared with surprising suddenness.

The police and the neighbors searched the vicinity but could find no clue to the burglar.

An arrest was made but through a misunderstanding. Henry Carney, the son of the hack driver, was awakened and went for assistance. An officer seeing him running arrested him on suspicion. He was released after an explanation was made.

The weapon used by the burglar was evidently a chisel. The cut in Mrs. Knowles' head was almost as clean as that of a knife.

From all appearances crime is again holding a bloody carnival in this city for local police history shows that an outbreak such as the murder of yesterday has always been followed by at least two other crimes. The second is reported above.

What will the third be?

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TWO BIG SEIZURES

Liquor Taken From Centralville This Morning

The liquor inspectors made a big seizure of liquor from a room over Gregoire's stable on West Fourth street this morning. The room is let to Joseph Litch, a druggist, and from it were taken about 30 gallons of whiskey, and wine. Later the inspectors visited the freight depot and seized a barrel of whiskey consigned to Mr. Gregoire, but improperly addressed.

DEATHS.

ELLIOTT—Margaret Elliott, aged 73 years, died Monday at the city hospital.

TUNNY—Harry V. Tunny, aged 19 years and 9 months, died yesterday afternoon at his late home, 5 Simpson place. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from St. Peter's church.

O'CONNELL—Catherine O'Connell, an old resident of this city, died yesterday at her late home, 8, in the rear of 32 Dummer street. She leaves one sister, Mrs. John F. O'Brien, and two Owen and John O'Connell. The funeral will take place Friday morning.

RAYMOND—Joseph H. Raymond, for a number of years janitor at the Opera House, and well known throughout the city, died yesterday at his late home, 10 Concord street. He was 23 years old. He leaves besides his parents, two brothers, Charles and William, and two sisters, Lucy and Addie.

WYLIE—James Wylie, aged 39 years, died yesterday morning at his late home, 53 Willie street.

GAUDETTE—Clara Gaudette, aged 20 years, died yesterday at the home of her parents, 48 Ward street. The funeral will take place Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from St. Joseph's church.

MORNEAU—Marie, aged 27 days, child of Louis and Victoria Morneau, died Monday at the home of her parents, 22 Degresse avenue. The funeral took place this morning and interment was in St. Joseph's cemetery. The funeral was in charge of Undertaker Joseph A. Albert.

FUNERALS.

WETHERBEE—The funeral of Mary E. Wetherbee took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the warerooms of Undertaker Savage. Interment was in the Edson cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker Savage.

McCLOUGHRY—The funeral of Marguerite McCloughry took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her parents, William and Frances, 325 Worthen street. Rev. Howley Green officiated. Interment was in the Edson cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker J. A. Weinbeck.

BRAKEMAN INJURED

BY THE EXPLOSION OF A TORPEDO PLACED ON THE RAIL.

The ambulance was summoned about six o'clock this morning to the Northern depot to take a man named Frank J. Wells to St. John's hospital.

Mr. Wells is employed as brakeman on a freight train and on account of the heavy fog the engineer could not make out the signals very readily and the train was running at a low rate of speed. In accordance with the rules of the road Mr. Wells was sent up the track to place a torpedo so as to avoid collision. He had just placed the torpedo on the rail when a train ran over it. He tried to get out of the way before the torpedo exploded but was not quick enough and a fragment of the shell lodged in his right leg.

At the hospital it was found that his right leg was badly lacerated. Mr. Wells resides at 85 Cambridge street, East Cambridge.

ANOTHER BATTLE

Gen. Schwan Comes Upon Hidden Trenches

SEVEN MEN AND ONE OFFICER KILLED

Bodies of Filipinos Strewn Along the Way

THE MULES COLLAPSED IN THE MUD

The Roads Almost Impassible at Many Points

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO DE MALABON, Oct. 10, via. Manila, Oct. 11.—General Schwan's column approaching this town, marched through a country so muddy that the mules all collapsed. He occupied the time without fighting, the insurgents retreating under cover of the creek beds. Later, reconnoitering in force southward, General Schwan came upon trenches which were hidden, the insurgents poured several volleys upon the general and his staff. The rebels resisted stubbornly. The reconnoiterers, consisting of Captain Geary's battalion of the 13th regiment and two guns of Riley's battery, drove the insurgents two miles, fighting all the way. They found a field piece and several wounded and sick Filipinos flying a red flag and captured 25 insurgents, including three officers. Many Filipino dead were strewn along the fields. The American's total loss was one officer and seven men wounded.

General Schwan's main column started at daylight this morning along a fearful road on the left bank of the river, flankers being thrown far out, and Major Rudd's battalion on the right bank covering the flank rendering the fire from the insurgent trenches ineffective. Major Rudd returned to Santa Cruz before dark.

The natives seem to be generally supporters of the insurrection, but few have arms. There was much firing at American soldiers from the native huts. General Schwan spent the night at Malabon.

NEW DEPUTY SHERIFF.

Charles A. Eveleth of Lowell has been appointed a deputy sheriff by Sheriff John R. Fairbairn. The news came to Lowell yesterday and Mr. Eveleth's friends are congratulating him. Mr. Eveleth was born in Orono, Me., in 1856 and came to Lowell in 1874. For six years he has been with Shepard & Fuller in the real estate business. Barring a few terms in the common council he has not been in public office.

INSTANTLY KILLED

EDWARD GAINES SHOT HIMSELF BY ACCIDENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BRISTOL, Vt., Oct. 11.—Edward Gaines, a 20-years-old lad, was shot through the heart here this forenoon. Young Gaines was killing a number of chickens at the time and in some way the trigger of his pistol caught in his coat, turning the muzzle against his left side. At the same time the weapon was discharged causing instant death.

BRITISH CRUISER RETURNS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LORENZO MARQUEZ, Oct. 11.—The British third-class cruiser Philomel has returned, after following the French steamer Entre Rios, from Havre, August 25th, for South Africa. The cruiser found no ammunition on board.

It is asserted that all French shipments were stopped when the German cargoes were seized.

DELEGATES ARRIVING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 11.—Delegates to the international commercial congress, which opens tomorrow in the auditorium of the main building of the national export exposition, are arriving in town today. Representatives of forty nations and about 200 of the principal chambers of commerce will have arrived in the city before night. A special train will leave Washington at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning, bearing the members of legations from all countries; Assistant Secretary of State David J. Hill, and a number of congressmen. The ceremonies of the formal opening of the congress will begin at 2 p. m. tomorrow in the international commercial congress auditorium of the exposition buildings.

MISS HOYT AHEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 11.—Miss Beatrix Hoyt has once again demonstrated that her peer upon the golf course is indeed hard to find. In the qualifying round for the women's championship for the United States golf association, 18 holes, medal play, played over the course of the Philadelphia Country club at Bala, yesterday, she led a field of 74 players, representing the best women's golfing talent of the United States. This is the fourth successive year in which Miss Hoyt had repeated the performance of heading in the lowest score in the qualifying round of the championship competition and it only remains for her to survive the match play rounds of the tournament and thus land herself a quadruple national championship title-holder.

DIED OF GAS POISONING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 11.—Joseph Markeby, who was a member of company G, 1st Rhode Island volunteers, in the Spanish war, died at the Rhode Island hospital this afternoon of gas poisoning. When he retired last Wednesday night he shut off the gas in his chamber, but accidentally left the cock so that there was a slight escape of the gas. When his door was forced he was found unconscious, and lingered until today.

Cook, Taylor & Co., Central street, commence tomorrow a famous special drive sale of more than thirteen hundred dozen goods just bought and to be turned into cash at once. Keep well posted Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

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Exercises Attended by Many Friends of College

By Associated Press to The Sun.

AMHERST, Mass., Oct. 11.—President George Harris was formally inaugurated as head of Amherst College today in the presence of a large audience including trustees, faculty, alumni, students and friends of the college. The exercises were held in College hall at 2 o'clock. The trustees, faculty, alumni and students assembled at Walker hall, and forming a procession, marched across the campus to the president's house.

Here the invited guests joined the procession, each escorted by a member of the faculty. The procession was headed by President Harris and Rev. E. Winchester Donald, representing the board of trustees and Dr. Edward Hitchcock, who has been the acting president of the college for a year, and Prof. Egbert W. Smyth of Andover Theological seminary. The assembly then marched to College hall, where the invited guests, trustees and faculty had seats on the platform and the alumni and students on the floor of the house. The exercises opened with a prayer by Rev. Dr. Smyth, followed by the singing of "Hail, Alma Mater," by the college glee club.

Rev. E. Winchester Donald of Boston gave the address in behalf of the trustees, at the close of which he presented the charter, seal and keys of the college to President Harris. This was followed by President Harris's address.

The following is the inaugural address of President George Harris, D. D., LL. D., at Amherst college, Amherst, today:

There is one consideration further which should not be overlooked. I have said that the college is part of the system of education maintained by the state. Now high schools have come into existence as part of that system. Those schools, necessarily, besides providing classical training, give education in English, history, modern languages and the sciences. It is with considerable difficulty that classical teaching, especially in Greek, is maintained by appropriations from the towns and cities. Assuming that as good a training is given in modern as in classical studies, and that is the case in the best high schools, ought not the college to receive their graduates and to receive them on equal terms? While privately endowed preparatory schools were the only avenues to college, it was easy to prescribe a classical preparation for all. To be sure, that involved what some educators object to, definite election of studies at a very early age. For the boy who was to have more than a common school education it was determined at the age of twelve or fourteen that he should study Latin, Greek and mathematics for eight years, as Professor Eliot has recently pointed out. However, the arrangement was manageable. But now the public high schools educate boys on to the age of eighteen with choice from a broad range of studies, and to a boy who has been well trained in other than classical studies, and who desires higher education, the door of the college should be wide open. It is a duty the colleges owe the state, which is, after all, their foster mother. Indeed, the colleges must do this for their own preservation, because the number of those who resort to the private schools will be constantly less, relatively, as the high schools develop on the lines of broader and better education. For the comfort of the classicists, should they need any, I suggest that, as French and German are begun in college by students in the classical course, it might be well to teach Greek from the beginning to those who, not having studied it at all, desire the much prized advantage of classical culture.

The duty of the college to prepare the man of letters for his place in a democracy might be shown to determine the methods of instruction, that he may be trained to observe and judge for himself, that he may be productive and not merely receptive, that his own individualism may be developed, which cannot be done if he is not put under precisely the same methods as a hundred others are under. But on this I will not linger.

We might also dwell upon the indirect as well as the direct service of men of culture which is needed to prevent the dominance of an aristocracy of wealth. The very presence of a large body of men of culture is a silent corrective of plutocracy. Culture stands above and stands against the vulgar materialism of covetousness, against demagogery in politics, against cant and sentimentalism in religion. Ten men of culture living up to their standards, speaking correct English, promoting education and religion, are enough to save any Sodom in which they dwell from its coarseness and vulgarity. Formerly all students in college were destined for the learned professions. It is well that so large a number of those who are to engage in business are graduates from colleges. They may forget their Latin, Greek and mathematics, and, indeed, pretty much all they learned, as do other students in the professions; but they have high standards, their dearest associations are with old fellow students, they love the college and help it as they can—they are men of letters in the office, mill, senate—in the democracy.

The college community itself is a democracy in miniature. It is the most democratic community in existence. Men are not estimated here by false standards, least of all by wealth. No student is despised nor neglected because he is poor, nor flattered and admired because he is rich. Talent, merit, worth, character are the dominant standards. Indeed, a student may be handicapped by wealth, may not have as fair a chance as others in the race, must be superior in a marked degree to overcome prejudice. "He is rich but he is a first-rate fellow; he has plenty of money, but he is a good scholar, a fine athlete, an all-round man." Colleges have, it is true, artificial standards. It is not good form to talk of one's self, to wear clothes of a particular cut, to make advances to higher classmen, to associate with professors and what not. In his freshman year, by some trifling act or heedless speech, a man may damn himself so that he never recovers his place. In such ways few men are so cruel as students. Yet, on the whole, men are estimated at their value. Generosity, honor, sincerity, culture, obtain rightful recognition. The peculiar institutions of the college, such as the fraternities, which may be a source of evil, may also be opportunities for checking narrowness, for teaching men to live in democratic relations to all, while enjoying to the full legitimate groupings by affinity. The college is fatal to favoritism, for its principles are freedom and justice, the principles of fair play, the principles of democracy.

The college in a democracy let me add does much for physical type of man—for physical culture. Intellectual goes along with muscular vigor. The Greek and English types have not been surpassed. Yet how large a place sports, games, contests have had in Greek and English life. The indispensible condition of attaining that type is the contest. The runner runs for a prize, else he would not have run. It is possible to make athletes too large an interest. No college cares to be distinguished only as the unfailing winner of games. Yet interest in rivalries has changed the type of scholar from the pale stooping student to a ruddy erect, vigorous man. Amherst was the pioneer in requirement of physical culture and honors mightily the man, as young today as the youngest of us, who introduced and developed compulsory gymnastics. But it would be a misfortune if all were left to the gymnasium. Contests of strength and skill start in a rude, rough and tumble, but evolve into safe, scientific, intelligent play. A faculty should do more than to tolerate sports, certainly should not look askance upon them, but should encourage and regulate them. There is something wrong with a college that becomes indifferent to out-of-door plays and does not care to excell in athletic contests. Not only is this interest healthy preventing a multitude of sins and developing the sturdy man of letters; it is good for the country when men of brains and culture and true aristocracy are out in the open, are fond of sports, are physically vigorous—when the man is always a boy. It once happened in the chapel of the Yale University that the preacher failed to interest the students and that they gave palpable signs of restiveness. A professor remarked to the preacher afterwards, "you must remember that two thirds of the students are mere boys." "No," said Professor Hadley, the father of the new president, "that is not it. Two thirds of every student is a mere boy." The proportions may change, but a goodly part of a man should be boy. Here is the philosophy of governing the college. Let the president at least remember that every student is part a boy and try and keep him boy internally."

It seems a far cry from athletics to religion, yet the word holiness means wholeness, health. To walk in the spirit there must be feet and legs to walk on. Body soul and spirit, the apostle says are to be preserved blameless. We call the true type of religion the healthy type, the manly type. The religous man has manly character, is sound, sane, moral, social, simple real. He trusts God and serves his fellow men with his talents and culture and strength in the kingdom of God, which is the christian democracy. Some deplore the fact that fewer students now than formerly enter the ministry. I am not so sure if that it is to be deplored, certainly not so long as educated men mean to render service in society according to their gifts. Let it be understood that all men of letters have a place and a work in the Christian state and adjustments of function—preaching, teaching, healing, manufacturing, legislating, governing, will be rightly made.

After the exercises in the hall, President and Mrs. Harris gave a reception at their home which was attended by several hundred people.

Among the college presidents in attendance at today's ceremonies were C. W. Eliot of Harvard; Arthur T. Hadley, Yale; Seth Low, Columbia; William J. Tucker, Dartmouth; Franklin Carter, Williams; William F. Warren, Boston University; L. Clark Seelye, Smith; Miss Caroline Hazard, Wellesley; Mrs. Elizabeth S. Mead of Mt. Holyoke.

PROBABLY COMMITTED SUICIDE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., Oct. 11.—It is believed that Annie Neuberth, the 16 year old daughter of Philip Neuberth, who has been missing from her home since Sunday, has committed suicide. This morning a hat worn by the girl at the time she left home, was found on the banks of Hollow Pond, near Crystal Lake Pond, and it is believed that the girl has drowned herself there. The pond will be dragged this afternoon for her body. It was stated by the police this morning that the girl did not get along well with her stepmother.

FOR MANSLAUGHTER

JOHN QUIGLEY OF LYNN SENTENCED IN LAWRENCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LAWRENCE, Oct. 11.—In the superior court here this afternoon, John Quigley of Lynn, convicted of manslaughter in killing Samuel E. Flanier of East Saugus, was sentenced to six months in the house of correction.

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MEDAL OF HONOR

From the Spanish War Veterans

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Oct. 11.—The legion of Spanish War Veterans is doing all in its power to assist in the welcome that the city and state is extending to the distinguished naval officer who arrives here next Friday night. Not only will the order participate in the parade but will also present him at the most suitable time probably at the state banquet at the Algonquin club on Saturday night with an elegant gold medal of the order. The matter was brought up at the last meeting of the grand muster, the necessary funds were voted, and the manufacturer was notified to proceed to make the best thing possible.

As a result, a handsome souvenir has been obtained. The base and in fact every part has its own special significance. At the top appears the crossed rifles of the two combating nations in miniature but still accurate in every detail. Above is the now world-famous Krag-Jorgensen and under it the Mauser of the Dons. Next is the stars and stripes surmounting the yellow flag of Spain. Between the two flags is the insignia of the wearer, a tiny shoulder strap of the navy with the indicative points indicating the rank of admiral. At each end of the bar is a foul anchor in gold and upon the shaft of each is a silver star with two others on the blue field below.

The base represents all branches of the service engaged in the war, the infantry, cavalry, artillery, the engineers, the signal corps and the navy. In the center is a medallion showing the war eagle of America with pinions half folded clutching in one talon the crown of the vanquished monarchy and in the other the arrows of war. On the reverse side is the inscription:

"Presented to Admiral George Dewey by the Legion of Spanish War Veterans, U. S. A., Boston, Mass., October, 1899. By duty done is honor won."

Upon the receipt of the medal Admiral Dewey becomes the highest ranking officer, the next highest being Major General Joseph Wheeler, now in the Philippines, who became a member of the organization at the time of his visit to this city last May.

DIVED TO DEATH

REPORT UPON SUICIDE AT STATE PRISON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Oct. 11.—Joseph F. Peters, sent to the state prison a year ago last May for a term of not less than eight nor more than 10 years for assault with intent to kill, committed suicide by jumping or diving from the upper tier of cells in the west wing of the Charlestown prison to the floor on Aug. 28th last. A report on the inquest was filed with Clerk Manning of the Suffolk superior criminal court.

The finding was by Acting Judge J. H. Cotton of Charlestown, who says that the officers of the state prison were not in a position at the time of the suicide to have prevented it, and are therefore not responsible for the death of the man.

The inquest report says that Peters once before attempted suicide last July by cutting his throat. The state prison officials state that Peters was undoubtedly insane when he took his own life. Peters was 27 years old when he was admitted to the prison.

CABLE FROM DUBLIN

READ AT MEETING ON PARNELL MONUMENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Oct. 11.—A meeting of the general committee of the reception to be given in the Boston theatre, Oct. 29, to Lord Mayor Tallon of Dublin and John E. Redmond, M. P., who are about to visit America for the purpose of interesting the American people in the Parnell monument project, was held at the Parker House last evening. The president, P. J. Flatley, presided. He read a cablegram received from Lord Mayor Tallon in response to an inquiry as to whether the reports published in Boston papers of disturbances at the laying of the corner stone of the Parnell monument were true. The cablegram emphatically refuted all the statements in question.

The cablegram further mentioned a resolution passed at the meeting in Dublin, which stated that, "as Parnell signalized the beginning of his political career by a defence of the Transvaal on the floor of parliament, so, also, the Irish people hope that the Boers would be able to maintain their independence, should it be unjustly assailed."

The general committee in charge of the reception, at its last meeting, resolved itself into the Parnell Monument association. Its object is to provide an organization with power to continue work for the memorial from now until the completion and dedication of the monument. To this end, the names of the members of the general committee were enrolled at last evening's meeting. A report was received from the military committee with regard to escort duty by the 9th regiment. It is thought that at least a battalion will turn out.

A delegation from the Irish National Foresters attended the meeting, and requested that they be assigned a position in the parade. The request was complied with.

MRS. STEVENS

SPEAKS OF THE W. C. T. U. CONVENTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—Mrs. L. M. Stevens, national president of the W. C. T. U., and Miss Anna Gordan, vice president, arrived in Chicago today on route to Seattle, where they are to attend the National convention of the W. C. T. U. Mrs. Stevens when asked about the coming convention and matters of interest in W. C. T. U. circles, said:

"The Temple discussion will not be discussed in Seattle. The statement which has been made to the effect that the W. C. T. U. cannot move out of the Woman's Temple and at the same time live up to its constitution is absurd. A by-law says that our national offices shall be in this building. That by-law can be changed by a two-thirds vote of the union. I am strongly in favor of making Miss Willard's home 'Rest Cottage,' in Evanston, our headquarters and I fancy this change will be decided upon at the convention.

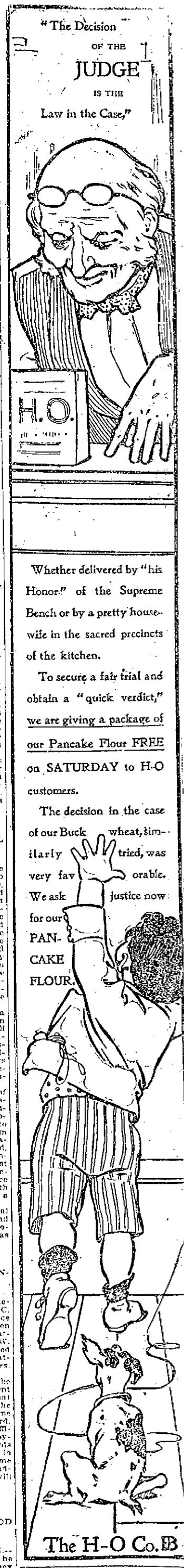
GEN. FUNSTON

SAYS SOME FILIPINOS ARE GOOD FIGHTERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 11.—General Funston when asked what he thought of the Filipinos said: "They have some pretty good fighters there and some pretty good shots, but the majority of them are poor." He added that while some of the Filipinos were intelligent, he did not think they were capable of self-government. He declared that he was not a candidate for the vice presidency and that he expected to be mustered out soon.

Miss Bertha Wilson of Chelmsford is reported to be suffering at her home with an attack of rheumatism.



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AN ABLE LECTURE

Before the Mathew Temperence Institute

BY REV. FR. SHANLEY OF HARTFORD, CONN.

Final Observance of Fr. Mathew's Day

The anniversary of the birth of Rev. Theobald Mathew was observed last evening by a grand temperance rally in Associate hall.

Last Saturday, the people of our city saw several hundred Catholic young men, believers in total abstinence, parade the streets of our city. That parade was a part of the demonstration in honor of the apostle of temperance.

Last evening the public meeting was another observance of the anniversay, and a successful one it was.

The members of the Mathews assembled at their rooms at 7.30, and headed by the Lowell cadet band marched to St. Peter's parochial residence. Here the speaker of the evening, Rev. Walter J. Shanley of St. John's cathedral, Hartford, Conn., the spiritual director of the Mathews, Rev. W. George Mullen, and the president, John A. McKenna, took seats in a carriage and were escorted down Gorham, to Central, to Merrimack street, to Associate hall. There was a large audience present when the meeting opened. On the platform, beside the speaker of the evening, the Rev. Fr. Mullen, and President McKenna, were Vice-President John Lyons, Edward F. Slattery, Thomas F. Lonergan, John J. Galvin, John J. Pindar, William Boyle and G. O'Dwyer.

The meeting was opened by the chairman, John A. McKenna.

President McKenna in opening the meeting, said:

"Tonight we meet to fittingly observe and commemorate the birth of the apostle of total abstinence, the Rev. Theobold Mathew. One who by his earnest and solicitous actions has done more for our people than any one we know. He possessed the courage, conviction and manliness to rise in opposition to the greatest social evil that confronted his generation, his people and society in general. The times and conditions of the people at the commencement of the present century called for a man to come forth who with solicitation and the precepts of moral suasion would reveal to the people the monstrous evil of intemperance, one who possessed indomitable energy and perseverance to arise from obscurity and use his manly attributes and qualifications for the amelioration and improvement of society.

Such a person arose in him whose memory and birth we celebrate tonight. And if we realize and can consider the obstacles which he had to overcome, the contention which was thrust in his pathway, the great change that the enforcement of his views would have upon the rules of society, then we may say that his undertaking was indeed a Herculean task.

He arose with the power, the ability and eloquence that the question demanded, and with the holy consolation of his religion and faith went forth to meet the enemy "in the name of God."

And how manfully he worked. Traveling over the English speaking world, he taught the people of many countries his views of the question with a persuasive eloquence that was instructive and convincing. He taught the inmates of penal institutions the happiness of refraining from intoxicants. He taught the members of our church that this question should be indissolubly connected with our faith. He taught audienomi national gatherings that the doctrine of total abstinence was too broad in its purpose to be confined to any one sect or class of people. And what a blessing the infusion of these ideas has been for the people of all countries.

Three quarters of a century have passed away since his views were spread broadcast to the people, but in that space of time wonderful changes have taken place in relation to this question. Society at that time looked with favor upon intoxication, today she frowns upon it. At that time concerted action was unknown for the suppression of this vice, today millions of people in all parts of the civilized world are organized for the alleviation of this evil. This was admirably shown at a convention held in Canada a year ago in the interests of total abstinence. There were there assembled people representing organizations from Africa, with its burning sands; from Iceland, with its icebergs; Germany, Austria, Sweden, Italy and South America.

In this country we have tried in many ways to advance the principles of total abstinence as taught by Father Mathew. And to those who have devoted much of their time and thought to this work the controlling of the liquor traffic by legislative enactment has been a favorable means for the suppression of this vice. Annually in this state, the question is submitted to the voters for solution, they to decide whether the sale of intoxicants shall be legally carried on in their respective communities or not. Last December when this question was submitted to the voters of our city, they decided negatively, and after five months of no-license, while we cannot say that the enforcement of the law has exceeded our expectations, nevertheless, we cannot but recognize the faulty construction of the existing laws of our state, which govern the liquor traffic. Let us hope that we may have a continuation of no-license in our city so that all the people may see the benefits that such a measure will bring to our people and city; for it must be evident to our citizens that the benefits of no-license cannot be seen in such a short time as we have been experiencing it, but must receive a further trial in order to receive the blessings of the measure.

It gives me much pleasure and and enjoyment to preside over this gathering tonight, and also to introduce the speaker of the evening, the president of the Connecticut State Union, Rev. Walter J. Shanley of St. John's Cathedral, Hartford, Conn.

Rev. Fr. Shanley received a very cordial greeting when he arose to speak. From beginning to end, his audience was all attention. He is an orator of unquestioned ability; his presence is inspiring, his language eloquent and his delivery excellent. He spoke on the life and works of Fr. Mathew, and took ocasion to make a special appeal to the women to become interested in the total abstinence movement, pointing out that their influence would accomplish grand results. His remarks were frequently interrupted by applause. He said in part:

"This is the birthday of one of the greatest benefactors of the human race; a man who by his indomitable courage brought untold blessings to the people of his generation—Rev. Theobald Mathew. Almighty God bestows certain attributes on certain men to allow them to pursue their chosen work in behalf of mankind.

"Fr. Mathews was allotted gifts of an uncommon nature to aid him in his labors.

That he rightly exercised these gifts is attested by the phenomenal results of his work. He was born of Catholic parents. He was possessed of the grand spirit of benevolence, and through all his life and career this characteristic asserted itself.

He was a Christian, a Catholic, a priest.

Being called to the priesthood, he made his course at Kilkenny, he pursued his theological course at Maynooth and entered the Capuchin Order. He was ordained on Easter Saturday, 1814, and his first mission was in Kilkenny.

He was always looking out for the welfare of the poor. His mission in Kilkenny was of brief duration, and the greater portion of his time was spent in Cork.

During twenty years of his priesthood, he had spoken on temperance, and his sermons, grand and powerful, did not effect the results he desired. It was then he assumed the leadership of the great total abstinence movement. He had seen wives separated from their husbands; he had seen prosperous farmers reduced by liquor. He had seen men famed as legislators lose their place, their intellects blighted by intemperance. He saw the widespread evil effect of this drink habit, and he thought long of a method to overcome it all. Total abstinence from liquor was the only remedy he could see. He saw that opposition would arise on all sides, but he appealed for light, to the Father of all light. In April, 1838, he called a meeting of his parishioners to whom he had ministered for 20 years. He told them that he intended to preach total abstinence, for in it he saw the only salvation from the drink habit. He recited the oppositon he would meet, but he said to his people, if we save but one soul, we will have accomplished a grand work. Taking a pen in his hand, he said, "I am about to sign my name in that great book—the book of total abstinence—and I hope you will folow suit. He signed the book and there originated the greatest total abstinence society the world ever knew. The society grew to 25,000 members; then to 250,000 in a short time.

Fr. Shanley detailed the enormous success he met in Ireland, Scotland and England in his total abstinence labors.

He recited his labors in America, where in 300 cities he administered the pledge to 500,00 people.

"When he returned to Ireland," said Fr. Shanley, "the illness that attacked him prevented him from performing active work. But wherever he moved, in whatever society he might be, he used his influence for the total abstinence movement. Even on his deathbed, when he was unable to speak a word, he had those about him repeat the well-known words of the pledge and gave them his dying benediction.

"Fr. Mathew is dead, but his spirit still lives. The lessons he taught are bearing fruit. Fr. Mathew pledged women as well as men. And in these days, it is well that women should interest themselves in the work. In the old Grecian and Roman nations women were respected when they were virtuous and loved justice. For 500 years divorce was unknown in old Pagan Rome.

But the day came when the matrons of these nations lost their love of justice. Time was when all nations were tributary to old Rome. But Rome fell. That great Rome fell, not from foreign entanglements, but from interior corruption. History may repeat itself; our nation may fall, not from foreign entanglements or state questions, but from internal corruption.

So long as women respect themselves they will be respected. Our women of the early days had good ideas on this drink question. They did not believe in women drinking. Now women supposed to be the cream of the cream, at public banquets, in the presence of men, drink intoxicants. The danger now is that this drink habit may be imitated by women not in this high grade of society.

It is well, therefore that women are interested in this movement.

It is well that you celebrate the birth day of the Rev. Fr. Mathew. It is well that you celebrate the 50th anniversary of his visit to this country. Let his spirit be yours; his was the spirit of Christian charity. It was charity that carried him through his work. It was charity that accomplished his triumph. Let charity be your spirit toward your fellow man."

INSANE MAJOR.

Change of Food Cured Him.

What a determined and intelligent wife can accomplish is well shown in the experience of a certain retired major of the civil war and his estimable wife. For obvious reasons, the name and exact address of the major is withheld but the facts are given by his cousin, a well known lady of Marion, Ohio.

Without apparent cause but coming on gradually, the major lost his mind, and some of the most eminent specialists in brain and nervous diseases stated that he would never recover, strongly recommending the wife to place him in an asylum, although confident he would live only a few months.

Being a woman of much strength of character she refused to incarcerate him, but on the contrary took him to a little cottage along the shores of a little lake for the summer and devoted herself entirely to the case, studied him carefully and especially applied herself to the preparation of food and drink, gradually eliminating what was harmful and substituting nutritious and properly selected articles, with the startling result that in about six months he was an absolutely sane man and in a year was healthier than he had ever been in his life.

She recites that the chief agency in his return to health was Postum Cereal Food Coffee, for from the moment she began using that article in place of coffee, he improved in a marked degree. At one time she left off Postum and allowed him to use ordinary coffee and he had a quick and serious backset. Returning to Postum he improved. Now they use nothing else and are most enthusiastic in their faith in its health-giving qualities and naturally make many converts among their friends.

The relater adds: "At first we thought Postum was flat and tasteless but after following the directions exactly and boiling it twenty minutes, we secured a richness equal to the best Mocha and Java and enjoy it greatly. I have lost that heavy, depressed feeling that obtained formerly and my children are growing fat on Postum."

The lady requests that her name be omitted from publication. The name, however, will be given by letter upon application to the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., at Battle Creek, Mich.

SUPPER AND SALE

AND ENTERTAINMENT HELD BY PURITAN CHAPTER, O. E. S.

The supper, sale and entertainment last night in Odd Fellows' temple by Puritan chapter, Order of the Eastern Star was largely attended.

Previous to the entertainment and sale a regular business meeting was held in an adjoining room. One application for membership was received and arrangements were made for the annual visitation of district officers upon their annual tour of inspection. Mrs. George F. Offut was chairman of the evening and the committee on supper were Mrs. Benjamin Dunklee, chairman, Mrs. Charles Priestley, Mrs. Mary MacDonald, Mrs. George W. Jockow, Mrs. Binnington. The waitresses were Misses Lizzie Harr, Jessie Farris, Inez Jones, Mamie Barris, Eva Whitney, Queena Brininoglon.

Fancy table—Miss Alice Williams and Miss Sylvia Symonds.

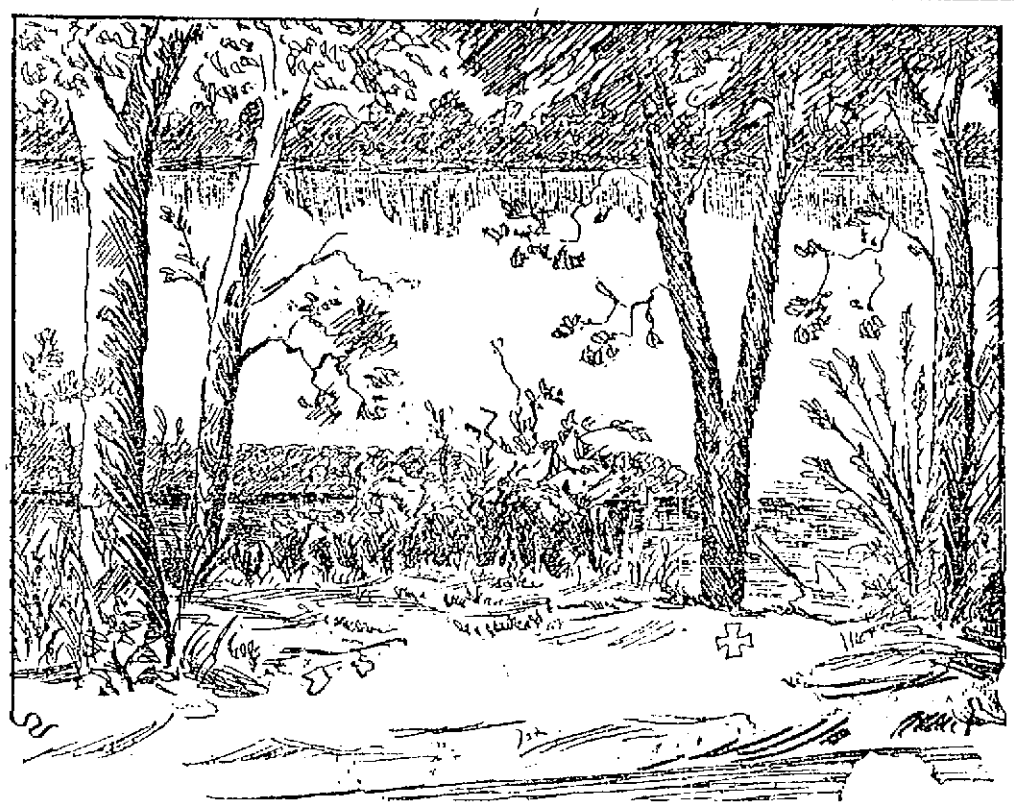
Apron table—Mrs. E. B. Symonds and Mrs. Kilpatrick.

A lace handkerchief, made by Mrs. E. B. Symonds was drawn by A. C. Persons. A cake containing 151 raisins made by Sister Mrs. Mary McDonald was drawn by Mrs. E. B. Symonds and Miss Beatrice Hibbard. A silk sofa pillow made by Mrs. Whitney of Nashua, N. H., was drawn by John C. Wilson.

Two visitors of the order from Whitinsville, Mrs. Adams and Mrs. H G. Reynolds were present.

The affair was a financial as well as a social success. The fancy and apron tables disposed of nearly all their articles.

The supper was enjoyed by all as well as the following program: Cornet solos Master James Bell; vocal solos, Miss Sadie Pierce and Mr. James Donnelly; readings, Miss Jessie Lewis; solo, Mr. Harry



SKETCH OF THE SPOT ON PAWTUCKET STREET WHERE THE MURDER WAS COMMITTED. THE STAR SHOWS WHERE THE HEAD RESTED WITH THE FEET EXTENDED TOWARD THE STREET.

IN POLICE COURT

But Few Drunks Arraigned This Morning

LARCENY CASE PLACED ON FILE.

Several Cases Were Again Continued

There were four drunks arraigned before Judge Hadley in the police court this morning.

Two simple offenders were released by the court.

It was Thomas Scully's third offense within a year and he was sent to the state farm.

The other drunk was Minnie B. Kennedy, who received a sentence of three months to the workhouse.

The case of Edward W. Jewett charged with the larceny of $1 from Royal S. Whitney, was placed on file, the defendant paying the costs of court.

Ambrose Bertrand, charged with being a stubborn child, was continued till November 11. This case has already been continued several times.

Manry Kouga, charged with assault and battery, was held in $100 for trial tomorrow.

The continued case of Henry St. George Martin Runville and Murcell Fafford, jointly charged with illegal keeping of liquor, was again put over, this time till October 16.

Benjamin Bernstein was charged with fraudulently concealing property. He had previously pleaded not guilty and was defended by D. J. Donahue, Esq. Lawyer Haskell appeared for the government. It was alleged that Bernstein procured some furniture of John N. Carter & Co., of Middlesex street. Bernstein did not pay for the furniture at once but agreed to pay $1 a week. It appears that the defendant had the furniture but a short time when he broke up house keeping and went to Lawrence where he procured employment. He did no remove the furniture, however. Instead he stored it away in a friend's house.

When Mr. Carter learned that the defendant had left town, he proceeded to find the furniture and was at length successful, but only as far as finding it; for the man with whom the furniture was stored refused to give it up to Carter, without Bernstein's consent. The defendant was subsequently seen by Mr. Carter, but he refused to give up the furniture, to which he claimed Mr. Carter had no right.

It was in consequence of this refusal that Mr. Carter had the defendant arrested.

The court found Bernstein guilty of the charge preferred and imposed a fine of $20. An appeal was taken and the court ordered Bernstein held in $300 for the superior court.

MASTIN CASE

ENDED BY A DECREE OF FEDERAL COURT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 11.—By a decree in the federal court today, the noted Mastin case which has dragged along in the federal court for five years was ended.

The two Mastin brothers, in partnership in the banking firm of John J. Mastin & Co. failed in 1878, catching many working men and women. In 1890, John J. Mastin died and his wife, Julia, became the sole owner of the estate. In 1894 she brought suit against her brother-in-law, Thomas H. Mastin, for a settlement of the estate, claiming that he was using her property improperly. In July, 1894, a receiver for the estate was appointed, claims against the estate at that time aggregating $1,200,000.

The decree today, dissolving the partnership and ending the receivership, orders Thomas H. Mastin to pay Julia Mastin $31,039 and divides the estate of John J. Mastin equally between them. This estate valued at several millions, consists of a vast amount of real estate in Kansas City and vicinity and mining claims in Colorado.

BOWLING SEASON

The bowling season is now on. Last night the fall bowling tournament began at the Wamesit alleys and tonight the season at Les Miserables alleys begins with a match between the young Fellows and the Belideres.

The game at the Wamesit alleys between the Home club and the Wamesits, the first in a schedule of 30 games that will cover a period of ten weeks, resulted as follows:

WAMESITS.

Brainard	147	157	174	478
McCormack	179	137	162	478
Dearth	130	139	163	432
Merrill	149	145	166	460
Gregory	157	186	167	510
Totals	753	764	832	2349

HOME CLUB.

Gale	85	152	99	336
Crawford	118	133	147	398
Farrell	136	130	163	429
Wiley	142	123	152	397
McCurdy	157	141	132	431
Totals	641	679	674	1994

TAKEN ILL.

Mr. William P. Brazer was taken ill in his store this morning and was removed to his home.

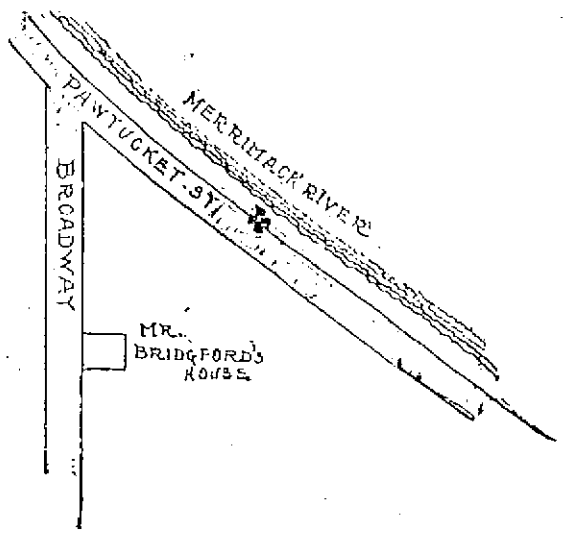


DIAGRAM OF THE JUNCTION OF BROADWAY AND PAWTUCKET STREETS, THE STAR SHOWING WHERE THE BODY WAS FOUND.

THE QUESTIONS

For Candidates For Annopolis Naval Examination

EXAMINATION AT NEW BEDFORD RECENTLY

Of Interest to Local Aspirants for Cadetship

The questions which are appended comprised the examination of the candidates for appointment to a cadetship at the United States naval academy at Annapolis, which was held in New Bedford last Saturday. The papers differ but little from those on similar subjects which are given as tests to applicants for entrance into colleges. The questions are published below for the benefit of future local aspirants for a cadetship.

Questions were asked on four subjects, namely, arithmetic, geography, United States history and English grammar, as follows:

UNITED STATES HISTORY.

1. What is the highest position in the United States navy? Name two men who have held this position. Give a short account of each.
2. When did the civil war begin? When did it end? What states seceded?
3. What effect upon slavery in the United States had the Dred Scott decision? The emancipation proclamation?
4. What is the Monroe doctrine?
5. What is a party platform? A census? A caucus? A veto? A writ of habeaus corpus?
6. Write as many facts as you can about Thomas Jefferson.
7. Write about John Paul Jones.
8. Name two important events on the water that took place during the civil war and give an account of each.
9. Write about Dr. Whitman and Oregon.
10. Write about Gettysburg. Where is it?

ENGLISH GRAMMAR.

1. (a) Write a sentence containing a verb in the active voice. Change the verb in the passive voice without changing the meaning of the sentence. (b) How do the two voices differ in use? How is the passive voice formed?
2. Give mode, tense, number and person of the verbs in capitals in the following sentences:

The man who SHOULD BE here is gone. The men who WERE here are gone. The flowers soon withered that WERE HUNG on the walls. He that OFFERS thee a gift is your friend. It is I who AM SPEAKING. It was you who SHOULD HAVE SPOKEN. Some children GO barefooted. Then ye ARE only five. GIVE me your hand. He and I MAY HAVE BEEN hungry.

3. Parse the words capitalized in the following sentences: He FOUND WHAT he was looking for. He THAT HATH ears LET him HEAR. WHAT is stronger than the lion? SINCE my country calls me I obey. THOUGH he SLAY me, YET will I trust him.

"I sit beneath the elm's protecting shadow,
Whose graceful form
Shelters from sunshine warm;
While far around in the heated meadows,
The busy insects swarm."

4. (a). Parse each of the verbs in the selection. (b) Make a list of the adjectives and tell what each limits.
5. (a) Tell fully about the use of each of the prepositions in the selection. (b) Parse each of the pronouns.

ARITHMETIC.

Note.—All problems must be worked out in full. The examiners wish to see every figure of the work.

1. Divide 6½ by 2¾; by .02; by 300; by .002 and give the sum of the quotients.
2. How many square feet in the walls of a room 25 feet long, 18 feet 6 inches wide and 8 feet 6 inches high?
3. From a pile of wood 30 feet long, 4 feet wide and 8 feet high, 3¾ cords have been sold. What is the value of the remainder at $5.75 per cord?
4. What per cent. is gained or lost in buying goods at $1,500 and selling them for $1,750 after keeping them a year, allowing $100 for expenses and reckoning interest at 4½ per cent.?
5. Find the square root of 499,849.
6. What is a common fraction? What does each of the terms show? How do you change a common to a decimal fraction? How do you change a decimal to a common fraction?
7. Write and receipt a bill against James C. Crombie for 1,250 pounds of coal at $7.25 a ton.
8. A drover bought 75 cows at $24½ a head; if 9 of them were killed by accident how much a head must he get for the rest in order to gain 20 per cent?
9. Divide the greatest common divisor of 210 and 2310 by the least common multiple of 7, 21, 25 and 56, and express the quotient decimally.
10. A clock loses 30 minutes a day. It is set exactly right at noon. When the indicated time by this clock is 10 p. m. of the same day, what is the correct time? Give your reasoning.

GEOGRAPHY.

1. Locate Manila, Santiago, Luzon, Hawaii, Ladrone Islands.
2. Where are the Bermudas? To what country do they belong? The Bahamas. To what country do they belong?
3. Name ten important cities in the United States east of Buffalo. Arrange these names according to the size of the beginning with the largest.
4. Name the five states of the United States that are largest in area. Give them in order of size, beginning with the largest.
5. Name in order, beginning at the north, all the states that border on the Atlantic Ocean, and give the capital of each.
6. Where is the Suez canal? The Hoosac tunnel? The Yosemite? Cincinnati? Yokohama?
7. Through what waters did Admiral Dewey pass on his voyage back to the United States? Name some of the places at which he stopped.
8. What are some of the most important coal fields of the United States? What is hydraulic mining?
9. Locate Lincoln, Duluth, Denver, Ceylon, Formosa.
10. Give the width of the zones in degrees, and tell what determines the width of the zones.

DRACUT CENTRE

Mrs. Calvin Richardson has returned from her vacation and is much improved in health. Miss Annie Richardson is visiting friends in New Hampshire, where she has joined a chestnutting party.

The Rev. Mr. Kelley and family have recently moved into the Kimball house at the Centre.

Mrs. Truman Hill has returned from her long vacation at her old home in New York state.

There was a well attended Christian Endeavor meeting Sunday evening. Subject "Work where Christ tells you to." Leader, Miss Bertha Maynard. Mrs. F. I. Kelly was chosen a delegate to the state convention at Springfield.

There will be a special meeting of the Shiloh club at Mrs. Bert Smithson's Friday evening.

The Ladies' Aid society will hold a harvest supper in the vestry Wednesday evening.

Mr. Fred A. Robinson of Dover, N. H., has been visiting Mrs. Bert Smithson for the past week.

The Christian Endeavor social which was to be held Monday evening was postponed on account of the stormy weather until Wednesday evening, Oct. 18, at 8 o'clock. It will take the form of a box party.

CAPTAIN GEARY DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—General Otis has cabled the war department announcing the death of Captain Woodbridge Geary, 13th infantry. He died at 3 o'clock this morning at San Francisco de Malabon from gunshot wounds received in a reconnoissance toward Buena Vista yesterday.

TAGGART ELECTED MAYOR.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 11.—Unofficial returns this morning show that Thomas Taggart is re-elected mayor by plurality of from 200 to 300. Charles A. Bookwalter, the republican candidate, announces that he will contest Taggart's election on the ground of fraud.

The council and other city officials are still in doubt.

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We place on sale today 50 high grade tailor made suits representing the sample line of one of New York's best makers, the fabrics used in the construction of the suits are Homespuns, Camels' Hair, Broadcloths, Venetians, and Fancy Worsteds. The sizes range from 32 to 40 and there are scarcely two alike in the lot, some are silk lined throughout, the majority are silk-lined coats with peradine lined skirts, the styles are tight fitting, fly front and reefer, the shape of skirts and coats are the most modern to be found anywhere. The regular value is $20, $22 and $25. We will offer them while they last.

Your Choice at $15 Each

Ladies, avail yourselves of this opportunity. It is our one and constant aim to keep in favor with the public and to do that we offer the best in quality and style at the lowest prices. Therefore, in showing you these suits we assure you they are extraordinary value and any first class tailor would charge you more for the making alone, consequently you can count on getting your fabrics and linings free of charge.

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BROKE THE TIE

The Bostons Won From the Philadelphias

LEWIS WAS IN FINE FORM

The Phillies Could Not Hit Him

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 10.—The champions broke the tie with the Phillis for second place yesterday and incidentally whitewashed the Quakers.

The last local game of the season drew out nearly 700 enthusiasts who were disgusted at the work of the Phillies when contrasted with that of the Bostons.

It was Lewis against Donahue and though the former was hit slightly harder than the latter, it was when Quaker runners were on bases that Lewis showed up best. He had speed to burn, and invariably pulled his team through safely whenever it looked promising for the Phillies to score.

Donahue pitched well, too, but his clever work could not offset the sloppy work of Dolan or the errors of Cross and McFarlan, errors that figured very largely in the champions' run getting.

The fielding of Boston was gilt-edged, Tenney making a great catch of Child's liner and doubling up Delehanty just when it looked as though the Quakers were going to have a batting rally. Duffy also made several nice catches, and Long and Lowe made good stops.

The score by innings:

Boston ..... 2 1 0 0 2 0 1 0 0—6
Earned runs: Boston 2. Two-base hits—Tenney, Stahl. Three-base hits—Delehanty, Dolan. Home run—Long. Sacrifice hits—Long 2, Stolen bases—Flick, Duffy. Left on bases: Boston 5, Philadelphia 6. Struck out—By Lewis 5, by Donohue 2. Double plays—Long, Lowe and Tenney; Tenney (unassisted). First base on errors—Boston 1. First base on balls—Off Donohue 2, off Bernhard 1. Umpires—Emslie and Dwyer. Time—1h. 55m.

The other games resulted as follows:

At Brooklyn—New York 5, Brooklyn 8.
At Baltimore—Baltimore 5, Washington 3, (six innings.)

The St. Louis Cincinnati game was postponed on account of rain.

LOCKS AND CANALS

WILL RAISE FLASHBOARDS AT PAWTUCKET FALLS.

The annual meeting of the Pontichuck Water Works was held at the office of the company at Nashua, N. H., at 10 o'clock Monday forenoon.

On motion of G. F. Andrews the president was authorized to execute a deed to the proprietors of the locks and canals on the Merrimack river, conveying the right to put and maintain upon their dam at Lowell flashboards two feet higher than the present level.

ALLAN LINE.

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Via Londonderry.

From company's Pier, foot West 31st St., New York.

Numidian, Oct. 7, Nov. 11. State of Nebraska Oct. 14, Nov. 18. Mongolian Oct. 28, Dec. 9.

First Cabin, $45 to $65 single, $85 to $117 round trip. Second cabin, $30 single, $57 return. Steerage, $23.50; prepaid, $24.

Glasgow and Boston, via Londonderry and Galway; Second Cabin, $30 prepaid; Steerage, $24 prepaid.

For descriptive circulars, plans of steamers and other information, apply to H. & A. Allen, 92 State street, Boston, or

Dennis Murphy, 18 Appleton St.

DECISIVE BATTLE

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS IN VENEZUELA PROVE FRUITLESS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The state department has received the following cablegram from the U. S. minister to Venezuela announcing the failure of the peace negotiations that have been in progress for the last five days between the government and the insurgents:

"Caracas, Oct. 10, 1899.

"Secretary of State, Washington:

"Negotiations suspended today. Venezuelan forces will be advanced. A decisive battle fully expected this week. Puerto Cabello quiet.

(Signed) "Loomis."

GOING TO EUROPE.

The following Lowell people are booked through Murphy's steamship agency to sail from Boston today on the steamer Canada for Queenstown and Liverpool: Mr. John Dolan, Richard Heap, Daniel Stevenson, Miss Maggie Murray, Mrs. Rachel McDermott and Mrs. Joseph Scholefield.

WANTED—A situation as a general housekeeper or housework of any kind in small family. Address "H." Sun office.

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Will pour an imitation out
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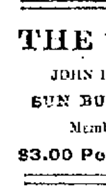

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LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER.

THE MAN WHO DARED.

At the ratification meeting of the Middlesex republican club immediately after the republican state convention, Attorney General Knowlton took occasion to answer all the criticisms hurled against him on account of his decision that an unlicensed fireman has a right under the law to work under the direction of a licensed fireman. Although Judge McDonough of Fall River decided otherwise, the attorney general held to his opinion and stated that no corporation, no political party and no power of any kind could induce him to give a legal opinion contrary to his conviction as to the true interpretation of the law. He intended to live and to act he said so that when he dies his friends can find no epitaph more appropriate than "The man who dared." No doubt this suggestion will be remembered by his friends after he dies and whether deserved or not, place the above upon his tombstone, that is, if he has one; and plenty of better and more deserving men are nowadays buried and forgotten without any such luxury as a tombstone. Should the attorney general, however bequeathe the necessary amount for this purpose, no doubt it would be duly expended and whatever inscription desired would be duly placed thereon at the usual rates. We do not think that the attorney general will ever be regarded as a public benefactor notwithstanding the fact that he is a very excellent office holder.

THE MURDER.

The murder committed in this city yesterday morning is one which while not deliberately planned was nevertheless one of the most foul that can be imagined. What business had the woman out at such an hour of the night is known; it might be legitimate or it might not; but the fact that she was out was no justification for an assault upon her, much less a murder. The action of Officer Dunlavey in refusing to go to the scene when notified of the murder is reprehensible in the highest degree unless he was complying with the rules of the department in refusing to go. The fact that he has been dismissed indicates otherwise. Should the police fail to find any clue to the murderers this refusal of Officer Dunlavey to go to the call of Mr. Bridgford will take a more serious aspect. The murder, like some of the other crimes which shocked the community within the past year, indicates that there are some dangerous characters in the city which only the strictest vigilance of the police can drive out. It is to be hoped that Supt. Davis will succeed in capturing the guilty parties before they leave the city.

England sent her ultimatum to the Boers some time ago and now the Boers have sent their ultimatum to England. They demand that England shall withdraw all the troops landed in South Africa since the Bloemfontein conference but they might as well ask England to clear out of South Africa altogether.

Mark Hanna says it is an insult to Admiral Dewey to mention his name so often in connection with the presidency but if he had not on hand the contract of re-electing President McKinley, he would take a different view of the matter. The ordinary citizen will be hard to convince that any man can be insulted by the mention of his name for the highest office in this republic.

Charles R. Saunders of Boston is said to be gaining ground on Representative Myers in the speakership contest. The latter hopes to win by getting Willard Howland, the man who managed Mr. Bates' campaign to steer him into the speaker's chair. But no management, however efficient, can force the representatives to elevate Myers to the speakership.

Our troops in the Philippines are taking new towns but as soon as they vacate, the natives will return.

Again the breezes failed yesterday, and the judges wisely declared the race off early in the day rather than run the risk of a fourth fluke. It seems that the harbor selected for the contest is not as breezy as many others along the coast. Why not try Marblehead or Newport, R. I.?

The insanity plea is being used in the case of John Roberts, the Lawrence murderer. As one of the experts to examine Roberts examined Joe Kelley, the New Hampshire murderer, and found him mentally unsound, it is not improbable that they will find germs of insanity in Mr. Roberts.

The colleges have their degrees ready to confer upon Admiral Dewey. While the admiral is loaded down with genuine honors, he is not going out of his way to pick up such empty bubbles as the titles the colleges confer for advertising purposes.

An advisory bureau is to be established in the navy department and Admiral Dewey is to be there to advise the secretary of the navy. Better have it in the White House and let Dewey advise the president.

If ever the Jingoists of this country organize they should make Congressman Knox their president, inasmuch as he leaps the highest and shouts the loudest when proclaiming our right and our ability to shoot the Filipinos.

President McKinley is in full accord with the movement to purchase for Admiral Dewey a splendid residence; but he does not want him to be made the head of the White House.

Again Lowell is shocked by one of the foulest tragedies that ever occurred within her borders. It will be a blot upon the reputation of our police force if the culprits escape.

There will be a great rush to Boston to see Admiral Dewey. It will be easy to see him Saturday in the parade, but if it be a holiday the streets will be badly crowded.

It is now probable that Admiral Schley will also have a home as a gift from the American people.

BASE BALL.

Brooklyn cannot excel the record of the Bostons for '98.

McGinnity struck out seven of the Washingtons Saturday—a great performance.

Billy Robinson of the Baltimores has played in more games than any league catcher.

Pittsburg's winning of four straight victories in St. Louis was one of the finest performances of the season.

In Saturday's game with the New Yorks at Brooklyn, New York had three men on bases and none out in the third inning and could not score.

McGraw has been assessed more dollars in fines than any other player in the league. Parenthetically, it may be said that he does not have to pay his fines, so what's the use?

The chances are that all the men most interested will deny the truth of the assertion that the diplomatic Brush has practically parted company with Hart and Robinson and cast his fortunes with the Freedman faction. But every word of it is true.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

President Ban Johnson of the Western league has entered an indignant denial of the story that President Young of the National league was to be shelved and Johnson placed in his stead. He says he would not desert the Western league; that no offer has ever been made, and that he has not heard of such a proposition.

The deciding game between teams of the Congress Hall Outing club was played Sunday near Wellesley, and "Bobby" Wheelock's team beat "Dupee" Shaw's aggregation 5 runs to 3. Shaw pitched finely, and was well supported by Catcher Mehegan, but the fates were against him. Sam Maxwell did the catching for the winners.

Anson says: "The Spaldings and Harts thought they had finished me when they crowded me out of the game. But they failed. They really did me a kindness. I am making more money than I ever did, and I have no one to yell at me. There is plenty of time for me to have a club and I am going to have one. The league may talk about fighting us, but I will bet that we hardly get a start before they will be glad to recognize us. I am willing to risk the popularity of my club against the Chicago club."

The Chicago Inter-Ocean says of the pitching wonder of the day, Waddell of Louisville: "The 'rube' is a tall, deep-chested, long-armed country boy, who during his career on the village green picked up a varied assortment of curves, drops and benders. In addition to this he has as good an arm and almost as much speed as Amos Rusie. For a youngster he has fair control, and if he can only gain control of his rather exuberant spirits and use his head he will undoubtedly prove the pitching find of the year."

Astounding things are promised before another baseball league season sets in. Following closely upon the intelligence of the love feast, in which Messrs. Soden, Freedman and Brush participated, comes the intelligence that Nick Young, who has been an official ever since there was a representative base ball organization, is to be decapitated. The Chicago Inter-Ocean of Thursday just had the following on the matter:

"'Citizen' Nicholas Young's official days as president of the National league are numbered. The worthy magnates who control the premier base ball organization have at last realized that the venerable Mr. Young is not the man to head the proposed base ball revival, and have decided to make a change.

"The deposing of Nick Young and the selection of his successor furnished one of the topics for discussion at the recent after-dinner conference, or to be exact, 'love feast,' held at the Waldorf-Astoria, and in which the good Mr. Brush of Cincinnati, the bad Mr. Freedman of Gotham, and the portly Mr. Soden of Boston participated. Men who are familiar with the inside workings of National league politics know that Freedman does not like President Young's methods of conducting the business of the league. Freedman has repeatedly said that Young was nothing more or less than a figure-head. He has criticised Uncle Nick's appointments and his rather weak management of umpires. Less than six months ago he made the statement that the best way to begin to reorganize the league was to elect a new president. Word comes from New York that Brush and Soden, in their eagerness to get Freedman into line, not only granted his demand that Young be removed, but went so far as to discuss with Freedman the strong and weak points of the two men who have been suggested as Young's successors. Just what decision, if any, was reached it is difficult to say, but this much is certain. At the coming meeting of the league Young will be asked to resign and a new president will be elected. The chances are more than even that a western man will be offered the position."

So the worthy head of the league is to be immolated. It is well known that Freedman has no love for him. President Soden had his confidence in the head of the league shaken when the Sunday games were filched from Louisville at the adjourned schedule meeting, and President Young neglected to tip off his Boston friend as to what was going on. It will be no easy matter to provide an official as thoroughly competent, painstaking, honest and popular as Mr. Young. His greatest fault is that he has striven to please everybody.

The last week of the base ball season began Monday and local lovers of the game will draw a long breath of relief, says the New York Journal. Nothing could be more disgraceful than the showing made by the New York players, who are Giants only in their ability to make errors and lose games.

The majority of their exhibitions have been a burlesque on the national game—a comedy of errors.

During the winter months there will be many sensations in the base ball world and important changes made in the make-up of several teams.

One that promises to be the most sensational and which is being freely talked about in Boston is the transfer to this city of the entire Boston team as it stands now and the removal to the Hub of the Giants.

Manager Selee, of the Bostons, is of the opinion that the Giants, under proper management and with two or three additions, can be made a one, two, three winner.

EXAMINING ROBERTS

ALLEGED LAWRENCE MURDERER SAID TO BE INSANE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LAWRENCE, Oct. 11.—John Roberts, the alleged murderer of Maria Fletcher, who is awaiting trial, is to be examined this week in regard to his sanity.

The counsel for the defendant, Lawyers William J. Bradley and Fred T. Sherman, drew up a petition which was presented at the superior court last Thursday, asking that they be permitted to employ experts to inquire into the mental condition of the defendant and ascertain whether or not he was sane.

After due consideration the court granted the request, and Friday defendant counsel went to Boston and procured the services of two eminent physicians, and it is intimated the examination will take place Tuesday.

It is understood one of the experts who will examine Roberts was engaged in the famous Kelley murder case in New Hampshire some time ago.

CRISP GOSSIP.

A legal contest which is promised in Fall River presents some interesting features, says the Brockton Times. Ann Pierce and her granddaughter, Mary Coup, have been living in the same tenement on North Main street, in a house which is owned by Mrs. Pierce. They had trouble over rent money and Mrs. Coup moved out, taking all her furniture except her piano. When she returned for the instrument a day or two later she found that the instrument had been hacked to pieces and thrown into the back yard. Most of the neighbors living in the immediate vicinity of the Pierce house say that at a late hour at night they were aroused from their slumbers by such sounds as never before came from a piano, and it was not surprising when it was learned that the piano in question was being played with an axe in an angry woman's hands. When the axe severed the strings of the lower register there arose sounds not unlike heavy artillery in action, while the severing of the upper register strings gave forth sounds much like the discharge of a rapid fire gun; and there were other sounds.

PUBLIC MONEY

IN CUBA SAID TO BE UNSAFE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 11.—Reports from Cuba show that millions of dollars of public money in the hands of pay officers has had inadequate protection. Major Dodge, chief paymaster of Havana, says in a report:

"One of the annoyances connected with duty in this division has been the need of a proper depository for public funds. Often there has been nearly a million dollars on hand held under guard in insecure field safes for months at a time. These safes, too, or at least one pattern of them were unsuited for the purpose and are less secure than an ordinary wooden box. One paymaster, upon receiving his chest from the express company, found it open, the screws attaching the bolt to the lock having fallen out and the bolts themselves had dropped back of their own weight. There was about $15,000 in the safe at this time."

Major Dodge says there has been considerable complaint against New York checks which are subject to discount throughout the island. Officers and discharged men have been mulcted of considerable portions of their pay on this account. There has been no way of obviating the trouble. He urges this as additional reason for a government depository.

FORBIDEN BY LAW

JEWELRY WORKERS AT ATTLEBORO WISH TO DO MORE WORK BUT CANNOT.

The state police inspectors have come out with the statement that the first manufacturing jeweler in Attleboro, North Attleboro, Plainville, Falls Village or in any other jewelry making centre caught violating the labor laws of the state will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

This plain statement was due to the fact that manufacturers had signed a petition for the exemption of manufacturing jewelers from the operations of the law. The Attleboro manufacturers have an idea the law was framed for mill centres and was not intended to include jewelry making localities, where overtime work has not been compelled until recently.

The officers of the state police hearing that a boom had struck Attleboro advanced upon the town with their badges of authority and proceeded to give orders. The persistency with which the officers have taken the matter in hand will drive many manufacturers to hire a double force, one for day work and another for night. Many day hands want to work while the rush is on, but they cannot work over 58 hours each week. If they do the law will be upon them with both hands.

The situation has caused much comment in Attleboro as to the laws on the state's books and their workings.

SERIES OF SOCIALS.

The Mutual club a well known literary organization, held another of their series of socials Tuesday night at the home of Mr. Charles N. Bagley, 247 Gorham street, their president, and a good time was enjoyed by all. The club consists of 12 members but there were many friends of the members present also. A fine supper was served and several good readings were given. The D. L. Page Co. catered.

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THE SOCIALISTS

Held Interesting Conference at Hanover

THEY COMPLAIN OF THE LAWS

Delegates From Five European Countries

By Associated Press to The Sun.

HANOVER, Oct. 11.—The tenth annual Socialist conference since the repeal of the socialist laws opened yesterday morning in the Ballhof, which is tastefully decorated with laurel wreaths, red banners and the escutcheons of various German cities. In the centre, grouped amid ferns and flowers, around an allegorical figure of liberty, are busts of Ferdinand Lassalle, the originator of the social-democratic movement in Germany; of Karl Marx, the chief of international socialism, and of Engels. Places are provided for the police commissioners and policemen who attend the proceedings on behalf of the government. Among those in attendance are representatives of Holland, Sweden, Switzerland and Austria, the Austrian delegates including Dr. Adler, who, toward the end of this month, must enter upon a term of four weeks' imprisonment to which he was recently sentenced.

The delegates sit at tables ranged along the whole length of the hall. The scene presents rather the appearance of students at a symposium than of an assembly of workingmen representing at least one-fourth of the population of Germany.

Herr Singer was unanimously elected president. After the formal proceedings an animated discussion arose over the question whether the committee had acted in the interests of socialism in excluding from the "List of Martyrs" published in the Vorwaerts, the socialist organ, the laborers condemned for taking part in the Dresdan riots. A Saxon delegate hotly denounced the action of the committee and was repeatedly called to order. The question was shelved by a decision that the matter had been adequately threshed out.

The Dresden, Mecklenburg, Stuttgart and Munich delegates then moved that an interpellation be submitted to the Reichstag regarding the police prohibition of the dissemination of pamphlets containing electioneering arguments in streets and public places, and also regarding the action of the distribution of socialist literature on Sunday, because of which prohibition many socialists have been fined for privately distributing their party's organs.

Herr Bebel contended that an interpellation was impossible in the absence of specific data. The motion was rejected.

Herr Liebknecht exhorted the socialists to take as active a share as possible in the international socialist congress to be held in Paris in 1900.

This was approved and the conference adjourned.

BOXING GOSSIP.

If Jim Jeffries is defeated in the coming championship battle with Tom Sharkey at Coney Island, October 27th, it will not be through lack of training or over confidence. Never before did a champion train more conscientiously for an encounter than the big Californian is doing for his bout with the sailor.

While the champion expects to defeat Sharkey in the same decisive manner that he did Robert Fitzsimmons, when he won his present title, he does not intend to take any chances. The sole aim of the Californian at the present time is the improvement of his condition. He believes if he enters the ring in good physical form the result of the bout will be assured.

Although deeply interested in his work, Jeffries always finds time to joke or chat with his friends, but fight is never discussed.

Jeffries goes through his daily routine schedule at Asbury park like a school boy and he seems to enjoy it. He regards his work as a pleasure, saying it is a grand pastime for one who is not averse to taking a little strong exercise. He is well satisfied with the result of his preparatory work and on Monday he will begin his final training.

Tommy Ryan is expected to be on hand then, and instead of Jeffries taking a long run in the afternoon Ryan will be asked to go several rounds with him.

Ryan, it will be remembered, assisted Jeffries in his fight with Fitzsimmons and taught the champion many fine points of the game.

Another addition to the Jeffries camp is Ernest Roeber, the champion wrestler. Roeber wrestled with the champion yesterday and will, in the future, spar a few rounds with him each day, so as to give him strength in the clinches and breakaways, as Jeffries knows he is going against one who uses rough tactics throughout a contest.

Jeffries's careful preparation is evidence that he does not underestimate Sharkey and expects a hard battle.

This week the training schedule is changed, the road runs taking place in the morning, while the afternoon will be devoted to gymnasium work.

Tom Sharkey is rapidly getting into shape for his bout with the champion. He has introduced several novelties to relieve the monotony of training camp life and has arranged to vary his schedule from day to day.

As Sharkey has been in active training for some time he has decided to take it easy for another week, when he will start to harden himself a little. He is already down to weight, and would, no doubt, be prepared to enter the ring at short notice if necessary.

Instead of spending so much time in running, Sharkey has had his bicycle sent down to New Dorp and can be seen any fine morning scorching along the shore road of Staten Island. He believes wheeling helps to relieve the mind during the monotony of training, but he also realizes cycling has its dangers and that he must be very careful to guard against an accident that might diminish his chance of victory.

It is said, that Robert Armstrong, Sharkey's sparring partner, is seriously thinking of getting out of the sailor's camp. The going has been too fast for the big negro, and unless Sharkey lets up a little in the fury of his attacks his chocolate-colored assistant will be obliged to quit.

Peter Maher has been matched to fight "Big Ed." Dunkhorst in a ten-round bout at the Monarch A. C. of Syracuse, Oct. 23d. On paper Maher looks an easy winner. Dunkhorst never showed any championship form, but he has shown a remarkable ability to take an awful punching. He can punch a bit himself, too, and on this account not a few expect him to put up an interesting argument with Maher. The latter has lost none of the ability that brought him into prominence as a fighter. He can punch as hard, if not harder than any man in the ring. Syracuse sports are of the opinion, however, that he won't be able to hurt Dunkhorst. Charlie White, will referee the bout.

Martin Flaherty is again in fighting form and is going to make the best of the lightweights bustle for honors this winter. The terrific thrashing he administered to Jack Downey and his victory over Tommy Hogan at St. Louis Monday night stamps him as one of the best lightweights in the country.

Flaherty is now a full-fledged lightweight and a worker, too. He scales the lightweight limit easily and if his two last fights are to be taken as criterions he is fighting better than he ever did as a featherweight.

The goal of Flaherty's ambition now is to win the championship. He is now in line to meet Frank Erne, the present holder of the title, but the only champion, it seems, is not very anxious of trying conclusions with the Spindle City lad again. The Lowell boy, as is well known, is the only fighter in the game who has ever conquered the champion and he did the trick in polished style, too. If a match between Flaherty and Erne was made for the lightweight championship of the world, it would prove a great battle, and when it is over it would not be a bit surprising if there is a new lightweight champion. Martin beat him before and it was a clean cut victory, too. He has surely improved as much as Erne since their last meeting.

Martin will return to Lowell this week. His next opponent will in all probability be his old rival "Spike" Sullivan of Boston. They may be matched shortly to meet at either the Broadway or Lenox club.

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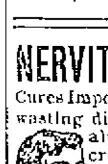

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CYCLING NEWS

Eddie McDuffee has arrived in Chicago, where he intends to go against two mile records; his own of 1.25 on the Garfield Park track, and the one mile record, straightway, on one of the level boulevards in that vicinity.

Charles Mack of the Century Road club, who reduced the New York to Philadelphia record last Sunday to five hours, 45 minutes and 40 seconds, rode a bevel geared chainless. Having captured the road record from New York to Albany, Mack is now considering an attempt on the New York to Boston record. He also holds the records for 100, 200, 300 and 400 miles, and the 12 and 24 hour records. After the New York to Boston record he intends to go for the New York to Washington record.

The movement of the American Bicycle company toward consolidation has begun. The eastern branch of one large maker has been closed and the business transferred to the branch store of another concern.

Orlando Stevens, the well known professional rider, last Saturday made a mile against time, motor pace, in 1.35⅗. This is the fastest mile ever made on a dirt track.

The American Waltham Manufacturing company, manufacturers of the Waltham Comet bicycle, are arranging to move their entire plant to Hartford, Conn. The plan involves an increase in the capital stock from $100,000 to $300,000, and subscriptions for this purpose are now being solicited in Hartford.

A race between Tom Cooper and Fred L. Kramer, the professional and amateur sprinting champions respectively, will probably be arranged for the indoor season, if not for an outdoor track, to decide who is really the best sprinter in America. Kramer recently defeated Earl Peabody of Chicago.

ADMIRAL DEWEY

IS FIGHTING FOR HIS JACKIES' BOUNTY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—Admiral Dewey is making a fight for double bounty for the men behind the guns who won for him the battle of Manila. He has filed a claim for $200 each for his men, instead of $100. They are entitled to the double allowance if the American force was inferior to the Spanish force in the Manila Bay fight. Admiral Dewey in a report to the navy department, claims that the Spanish force including the shore batteries, was superior to the American fleet. If Admiral Dewey's views are sustained the aggregate bounty will be about $360,000 instead of $150,000.

The admiral's conclusions are admitted by officers of the department to be correct, but it now appears that before the jackies can get their well earned reward, they must await the judgment of the court of claims.

Captain Lemley, judge advocate general of the navy department, says in his report among other things: "In order to settle claims for bounty, it is necessary that certain facts be first ascertained and established among which are on the one hand the names, number and character of vessels destroyed, their complement, armament, and aggregates force as compared with that of the victors; and perhaps also the degree of co-operation extended to them by shore batteries, torpedoes and mines. With respect to the captured vessels it is necessary to determine the identity and national character, their number, their offensive and defensive equipment and the names and rates of pay of their officers and men."

The claims submitted by the admiral are those of the Olympia, Baltimore, Raleigh, Boston, Concord, Petrel and McCullogh and the individual claim of Pay Inspector Bellows. The court of claims will also pass upon the claims of Sampson's squadron, growing out of the fight at Santiago.

HUDSON CASES

LOWELL MEN MAY BE TRIED AT PRESENT TERM OF COURT.

The Nashua Press says:

New Hampshire County Solicitor Tuttle was in Nashua Monday morning when it was expected that the Manhattan club of Hudson, represented by James H. Collins and Frank Travesy, would be heard in the supreme court on an appeal from Judge Clyde's court. The respondents came from Lowell. But the court was otherwise engaged and the trial was put over to a later date. The case of Julia Hill, who was indicted in the Uno beer case went over with the others. Solicitor Tuttle said that these cases will certainly be tried. Some of the respondents have come into court and settled but those who wish for a trial will have one. He does not favor postponement to the next term of court as has been reported.

BOOTT LOOMFIXERS.

A special meeting of the Boott Loomfixers will be held at their hall tonight at 7.30 o'clock to settle grievances that exist in the Boott. All other loomfixers are notified to stay away from the Boott until the present trouble is settled.

FISTULA

CURED WITHOUT CUTTING.

PILES

CURED WITHOUT PAIN.

AT THE AMERICAN HOUSE, LOWELL

October 12th.

Dr. J. W. Daily of the BOSTON CLINIC is a leading specialist in diseases of the rectum, and will be at the American House, Lowell, on Thursday, October 12th, from 10 to 3 p. m. to treat PILES, FISTULA and FISSURES; and he undertakes no cases that he cannot cure.

In his methods of curing the above diseases, the operations are bloodless, and in most cases, painless; no ether is needed; the patients get up as if nothing had happened and go home, all of them are cured; and almost all attend to their usual business while being cured.

THE KNIFE OPERATION,

in fistula is painful and dangerous; it causes patients months of suffering and loss of time; it is a needless cruelty at best; fails in more than half the cases, and should never be employed.

Dr. Daily uses no knife, but proceeds in a careful and delicate way to find every part of the fistula and destroy it, making the cure in all cases complete and permanent.

PILES OF EVERY KIND.

are easily cured; it makes no difference how long a case has existed, nor how large and how painful the protruding and bleeding piles may be, they are completely destroyed in a few painless treatments by Dr. Daily, leaving the patients as well as in childhood.

INTERNAL PILES

that never "come down" are found and destroyed by the aid of a little instrument lighted with a tiny electric lamp.

While the doctor has cured a thousand cases of PILES AND FISTULA in New England, many of them being in and about Lowell, he can only afford space for a few testimonials in this notice. They are as follows:

PILES.

Prof. A. Mirault, No 3 Central St., Lowell, Mass., says: "I had protruding and bleeding piles for many years, and was cured by Dr. Daily of the Boston Clinic. The operations were painless and I am now entirely free from the disease."

FISTULA.

J. I. Nickerson, 592 6th street, South Boston, says: "I had a double fistula and feared I would lose my life. There was an abscess that discharged a pint at a time, and prevented me doing any work. I heard of the Boston Clinic and went there and was cured. I worked at home building all the time of treatment, visiting the Clinic once a week. I was told there were no failures, and all the patients corroborated it."

PILES.

Dr. Daily, Dear Sir: I take great pleasure in informing you that by your skilful treatment I am entirely cured of a very bad case of piles, from which I have suffered for more than 20 years. Very truly, Robert Butterworth, 11 South Whipple St., Lowell, Mass.

FISTULA.

A. W. Fulton, Walpole, Mass., says: "I suffered with a bad fistula for years, and was cured by Dr. J. W. Daily without cutting. I am now sound and well."

PRESIDING ELDER

REV. WILLARD T. PERRIN APPOINTED TO SUCCEED REV. DR. G. F. EATON, DECEASED.

The vacancy caused by the death of the Rev. Dr. G. F. Eaton, presiding elder of the Cambridge district of the Methodist Episcopal conference has been filled by Bishop Mallalieu by tranferring Dr. Joseph H. Mansfield to that district. The Rev. Willard Taylor Perrin, Ph. D. of the First Church, Dorchester, has been made presiding elder of the Boston district.

The appointment of Dr. Perrin will give general satisfaction. He is greatly beloved by his brethren in the ministry for his profoundedly religious life, his high ideals and his ability.

Dr. Perrin was born in Cambridge, June 2, 1850. He entered Harvard college in 1866, graduating in 1870 in the same class with Governor Wolcott, standing 12th in scholarship in a class eminent for its high rank. After graduation, he was submaster in the Boston Latin school for one year.

Entering the school of theology of Boston University in 1871, he was graduated in 1874. During this course he was instructor in Greek for one year. He was admitted to the New England conference in 1874, ordained deacon by Bishop Simpson and elder by Bishop Harris. He was married April 12, 1876 to Miss Lucy Ellen Denton of Newton, who has been an invaluable helper in all the work of his ministry.

He has served with success important pastorates in the conference including Trinity, Worcester; Worthen street, Lowell; St. John's, South Boston, and the First church, Temple street, this city. In 1883 he was elected secretary of the trustees of Boston university. He was chosen president of the New England Home and Training school to succeed Dr. Brodbeck. From 1886-'95 he was president of the first general conference district of the Epworth league and served as president of the Boston Methodist preachers' meeting in 1897-'98. His degree of doctor of philosophy he received from Boston University.

NARROW ESCAPE

A BICYCLIST RAN INTO BY A SHIFTER.

An accident which might have resulted in the fatal injury of a boy was narrowly averted yesterday afternoon at the corner of Cabot and Cheever streets. The Tremont and Suffolk dummy engine was shifting cars from Cheever street into the storehouse and the engine had just passed over Cabot street to clear the switch when a boy about fifteen years who was riding a wheel attempted to cross the track. He had got half way across the track when one of the freight cars which was coupled to the dummy struck the rear wheel of the boy's bicycle. The force of the shock threw the boy heavily to the ground. A couple of bystanders ran across the street expecting to find the boy dead. But he picked himself up and started away on his wheel, apparently unhurt.

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TAXES

Collector's Notice.

The assessors have committed to the Collector of Taxes the

TAX LIST OF 1899.

With instructions to collect in the manner prescribed by the Statutes of the Commonwealth and by the Ordinances of the City of Lowell, the sums assessed by them to the persons named therein, and he is now ready to receive payment of said Taxes at his office in City Hall.

When a Poll Tax only is assessed, the Tax is due, and if not paid forthwith, the collector will proceed to collect the Tax as directed by the General Statutes. WARRANTS will be promptly issued for the collection of Poll Taxes.

SUMMONS, bearing costs, will be issued against delinquent Poll and Personal Tax Payers on or about November 1st.

INTEREST at the rate of seven per cent. per annum will be charged upon all Taxes which remain unpaid October 20, 1899, until the same shall be paid; and such interest shall be added to and considered a part of said Taxes. Poll Taxes are assessed upon every male inhabitant above the age of 20 years. On undivided real estate each heir is liable for the whole tax. An error in the name of the person taxed does not defeat the collection of the Tax. Each partner is liable for the whole Tax assessed under the partnership name.

If any ratable inhabitant, by removing his residence since the first day of May or from any cause should not receive his tax bill, he must consider the tax demanded by this notice and a new bill will be made out on application at the office of the City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes, if a Tax has been assessed.

All who preserve their Tax Bills and bring them when they come to pay, will save the time of making a new bill and facilitate the business of the office.

THE RATE OF TAXATION FOR 1899 IS $19.60 ON $1000.

OFFICE HOURS—From 9 o'clock a. m. to 4 p. m. For the convenience of the Tax-paying public the office of the Collector will be open in the evening as follows: Mondays, Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays, from Oct. 9 to Oct. 14, inclusive, from 7 to 9 o'clock p. m. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, from Oct. 16 to 20, inclusive, from 7 to 9 o'clock p. m.

Look for your Tax Bill at your place of residence, May 1st, 1899 and bring it with you.

CHARLES F. COBURN,
City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for the City of Lowell.

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6 O'CLOCK

BIG SHAFT BROKE

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WORK SUSPENDED FOR THE DAY

John Townsend Had a Narrow Escape

John Townsend, a young boy employed in No. 2 weave room of the Lowell Manufacturing Co., had a narrow escape from being killed this morning. Townsend is employed as a "piece" boy, and while waiting for work this morning sat down upon a stool under the large shaft in the weave room.

After remaining there some time feeling thirsty he rose and started for the water tank. He had gone but a few feet when the great shaft fell and struck the stool where he was sitting, breaking it into splinters. Had Townsend remained seated in the stool a few seconds longer he would certainly have been killed.

The breaking of the shaft caused the suspension of work in the room and all the help was sent out and ordered to return tomorrow morning, when it is hoped that the break will be repaired. The overseer of this room is John Burns.

DUNLAVEY'S CASE

MR. BRIDGFORD CRITICISED FOR NOT USING HIS REVOLVER.

Editor of Sun:

In dismissing from the force an officer whose neglect of duty made possible a murder, and in promoting one—John F. Healey—whose life was nearly sacrificed in performing his duty, the board of police has merited public approval.

There is, however, a singular feature in the murder of Mrs. Boyd that does not call altogether for public approbation. Joseph H. Bridgford who went for an officer to prevent the crime near his house has strange ideas of what constitutes a citizen's duty. He says he heard the cries of the unfortunate woman and saw the men dimly who outraged and murdered her. He says he had a loaded pistol in his pocket and yet he went off for an officer instead of making an attempt to drive off the criminals and save the woman. What use is a pistol in the hands of such a man? A little courage, a little of the stuff true men are made of even the bluff of shooting a pistol and giving an alarm, would have prevented a crime. Mr. Bridgford is a glib and nervous man; but more spine and less talk would have been better for the occasion. Bridgford may have acted up to his fine conception of duty; but I hardly think he will ever win a hero's laurels.

Yours for more spunk,

Yellow Streak.

SENATOR SHOUP RETURNS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SEATTLE, Washn., Oct. 11.—U. S. Senator Shoup of Idaho has returned from a trip to Alaska.

"I am opposed to conceding to Canada a port on Lynn canal or any other part of Alaska," said Senator Shoup. "In other words, I hold that this country should contend in season and out of season for the boundary as it now exists, the boundaries that are clearly defined in the treaties between England and Russia and in the negotiations leading to the purchase of Alaska by the United States."

Senator Shoup proclaimed his intention of joining with other members of the Pacific coast delegation in congress in fighting any and every proposed cession of territory to Canada.

FARMERS' PROFIT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 11.—According to estimates made by experts, the farmers of California will receive something like $15,500,000 this season for such products of their orchards and vineyards as are canned or dried. This is an advance of about $3,500,000 over the total received last year.

McDUFFIE'S NEW RECORD

INCLUDES EVERY MARK FROM ONE TO FIVE MILES, AS TIMED BY OFFICIALS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BROCKTON, Oct. 11.—At the local bicycle track E. A. McDuffee yesterday lowered five world's records in one ride. They included every mark from one to five miles. A corps of reliable officials and timers were present at the time. McDuffee beat his own world's record for five miles, which was 7m 11 1-5s, making the distance in 5m 12 2-5s. He also negotiated his fifth mile in 1m 2ls. Following is the record of his ride by quarters: First quarter 21s, second quarter 45 2-5s, third quarter 1m 8 3-5s, one mile 1m 29s, fifth quarter 1m 52s, sixth quarter 2m 15s, seventh quarter 2 m. 36s, miles 2m 58s, ninth quarter 3m 20s, tenth quarter 3m 42s, 11th quarter 4m 1s, three miles 4m 24s, 12th quarter 4m 4ls, 14th quarter 5m 5s, 15th quarter 5m 28s, fourth mile 5m 51 2-5s, 17th quarter 6m 9s, 18th quarter 6m 7s, 19th quarter 6m 52s, five miles 7m 12 3-5s.

Immediately after McDuffee's trial Don Monroe of Memphis, Tenn., started for the 50-mile record. He rode 25 miles when the tire on one of the pacing machines which he was following went flat, and he was obliged to give up the trial. As it was, he got the records for 10, 15, 20 and 25 miles. His times for the various distances, together with the best previous records held by Elkes, are given below:

Distance	Time	Previous Record
5 miles	8 07	
10 miles	16 22 4-5	16 23 3-5
15 miles	24 11 4-5	25 12 4-5
20 miles	33 15 2-5	33 45 4-5
23 miles	35 39	
25 miles	42 11	41 02 1-5

LIVELY CONTEST

FOR MEMBER OF DEMOCRATIC STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11—A lively third meeting of the Democratic Central committee of the District of Columbia, called to select a successor on the national comittee to the late Lawrence Gardner. Two persons were chosen, James L. Norris by the regular meeting, and William Holmead by a bolting faction. The bolters were dissatisfied with a decision of the chairman which recognized the proxies of certain members who had acted at previous meetings in place of the principles themselves. The principles last night. The chairman held that the present was simply a recess meeting present was simply arecess meeting and the proxies were allowed to vote. The contest will be taken to the national committee for settlement.

There will be a meeting of the Ladies of Charity of St. John's hospital tomorrow evening at 7.30

A DAY OF REST

Crews of Columbia and Shamrock do No Work

COLUMBIA IS STILL A FAVORITE

Many Wagers are Being Made

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—This was practically a rest day for the sailors on board the Irish cup hunting yacht Shamrock, and the defender, Columbia. With the exception of a few minor prepartions for the struggle set for tomorrow, the crews of both vessels had little to do. Even if either had desired to take a spin during the forenoon it could not have done so, for one of the worst fogs of the year settled down on the bay this morning. The yachts were invisible from the shore as they lay at their moorings within the Horseshoe and the sailors on board could not see a ship's length ahead.

Captain Barr of the Columbia was in hope that the fog would lift so that he might try his new club top-sail.

The new sail is the largest club topsail that has ever been set on the cup defender. Great things are expected of it. It was, it is said, made by Wilson & Griffin since the last contest.

The yard is of steel and the club of wood. The cloths are narrower than in the other club top-sails and they run straight from leach to luff. A strengnening band of cloth has been run across the sail from the lower end of the jack yard to the inner end of the club. The sail appears to be a finely cut piece of canvas.

The Shamrock had no alterations or additions to make today. "We are always ready to go when the other boat is," was Sir Thomas Lipton's comment.

The betting remained with the odds slightly in favor of Columbia. Bell & Co. bet $500 even on Columbia, the Shamrock's side being taken by an English visitor. It is said that bets aggregating $1,500 were taken on the same terms. The prevailing odds for small bets were 10 to 8 and 10 to 7 on Columbia. A wager of $500 was made last night at the Delavan house by a bookmaker named Mey, who took the Columbia end at even money. He also laid two other bets of 100 to 90 on the American boat.

George F. Considin said that he and Jim Corbett held $2500 to bet on the cup defender.

SERIOUS CHARGE

THE CAMPBELLS ARRESTED FOR ALLEGED LARCENY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11—Lawyer T. C. Campbell of this city, formerly of Cincinnati, and his brother, George Campbell were arrested here today on a warrant charging extortion in connection with the alleged swindling of Frederick Hysman, trance medium, by Charles Hodson, another trance medium, known as E. Van Dike. The Campbells were held for examination Thursday.

Hysman claims that Van Dike, aided by others obtained money from him by blackmailing methods. Hysman was formerly a broker in Boston. When he came here he says he told Van Dike he believed two women in Boston named Newcombe would sue him for money lost in speculating.

On Sept. 23 two strange men called on Hysman. One pretended to be a prosecuting attorney of Boston and said his name was Furgeson. The other said he was a detective and that his name was Edwards. Ferguson showed legal papers, which he said were tradition papers for the return of Hysman to Boston to stand trial for his transactions with the two women. Ferguson and Edwards it is alleged offered to allow Hysman to go on consideration of $100.

Hysman says his wife gave the men her jewels and diamonds, valued at $2100 and Hysman gave them $300 in cash and a note for $500, payable next day. Prior to the giving of this note, money and jewels, Hysman was given two hours to consult a friend. He consulted Van Dike, who once represented to Hysman that he was a lawyer. Van Dike said the papers were all right, and advised payment of the money.

When his freight was over Hysman went to police headquarters and Van Dike's arerst followed. The detectives claim that alleged Ferguson was T. C. Campbell and the psudo detective his brother George.

B. & M. STOCKHOLDERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Oct. 11.—The annual meeting of the Boston & Maine railroad stockholders was held at City Hall here today. The session began at 10.30 o'clock and the business took up about an hour, the items going through without opposition. Most of the time was taken up by counting the ballots.

It was decided to ratify the lease of three roads, by the following vote:

Portsmouth & Dover railroad, yes 126,-450; no, 12. Portland, Saco & Portsmouth, yes, 126,421; no, 8.

Portland & Rochester, yes, 126,421; no, 11.

The following directors were elected: Lucius Tuttle, Boston; S. C. Lawrence, Medford; Joseph S. Ricker, Portland; Richard Olney, Boston; A. W. Sulloway, Franklin, N. H.; Joseph H. White, Brookline, Mass.; Walter Hunnewell, Wellesley, Mass; Henry R. Reed, Boston; Lewis C. Ledyard, New York; Henry M. Whitney, Boston; H. F. Dimock, New York; William Whiting, Holyoke; Charles M. Pratt, New York; Alexander Cochrane, Boston.

The total number of shares represented at today's meeting was 126,451. While the meeting was in progress, President Tuttle addressed the shareholders denying all rumors of deals with other corporations for control of the Boston & Maine system. He said the rumors were without any foundation whatever.

SUPERIOR COURT.

The case on trial in the superior court this morning involved the petition of Wm. E. Livingston, for damages for land taken by the county commissioners in widening the Princeton street extension now a state highway. George F. Richardson appeared for the petitioners, City Solicitor Qua for the city, respondent. Various witnesses were heard yesterday and the jury viewed the premises.

CANADA'S QUOTA.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 11.—In response to intimations that the Canadian government would furnish a military contingent for service in the Transvaal, a cablegram has been received from the war office stating that the imperial government will accept "two units," or about 500 men for such service.

Mrs. George A. Roper and Mrs. H.A. Ranlett are in Lynn for a week.

BLUE AND GRAY

Veterans Held a Great Reunion at Evansville

PRESIDENT McKINLEY IN ATTENDANCE

Escorted by Veterans to the Train

By Associated Press to The Sun.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Oct. 11.—President McKinley and his cabinet came from Chicago this morning to attend the national reunion of the Blue and the Gray. A heavy rain was falling, but despite this, 10,000 veterans and visitors thronged about the railroad station and the veterans in gray vied with the veterans in blue in tendering a tremendous ovation when the presidential party arrived. They swarmed about the president and cabinet officers, cheering and extending their hands for a grasp of welcome.

At the same time a presidential salute of 21 guns, boomed from Cape Farragut at the Tri-State fair grounds. This was the signal for whistles and bells throughout the city to join in.

Owing to the short stay of the president, the party was at once escorted by the Cleveland grays and reception committee to the fair grounds, where President McKinley delivered an address.

Mayor W. M. Aiken presided and introduced C. A. DeBruler of Evansville, who welcomed the distinguished guests and veterans to the city. Gov. J. A. Mount followed with an address of welcome on behalf of the state and introduced President McKinley, who delivered a short speech.

The presidential party was then escorted back to the train followed by a long line of veterans marching in army order, the blue and gray shoulder to shoulder.

SLAVIN DEAD

VICTIM OF BROKEN BACK PASSED AWAY TODAY.

Michael Slavin, who for some time past has been at St. John's hospital, suffering with a broken back, the result of a fall, died this afternoon at the hospital.

J. M. F. Lyons of Boston who was injured by a runaway Sunday, is still in a semi-conscious state at St. John's hospital.

BAPTISTS MEET

ANNUAL CONVENTION OF OLD COLONY ASSOCIATION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MIDDLEBORO, Mass., Oct. 11.—The seventy-seventh annual convention of the Old Colony Baptist association was opened here today, at the Central Baptist church. Organization was effected by the choice of Rev. A. O. Ayer of Brockton as moderator, and Henry T. Bailey as clerk. The attendance was unusually large. The first business of the morning was a discussion of the question of denying the hand of fellowship to the North Marshfield Baptist church. Rev. S. Knowles, chairman of the committee appointed by the association to sit in judgment upon the charges against the pastor of the church, Rev. P. H. Goodwin, presented a report and it was voted by a large majority to deny the hand of fellowship. The charges against Mr. Goodwin were that he was not careful of his rebutation and that his conduct was not in accordance with Scripture. A feature of the discussion was the denial by Mr. Reed, a member of the church, that he signed a paper for the association committee and Mr. Knowles' equally emphatic statement that he did sign such paper. When the vote on the question was announced several members of the North Marshfield church, who had been present, withdrew. The appointment of committees and reading of reports occupied the remainder of the session.

PEACE PARTY STRONGER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CARACAS, Venezuela, Oct. 11.—The peace party is gaining ground. The government troops have been ordered to retreat on La Victoria.

MORE SMALL POX.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHELSEA, Mass., Oct. 11.—The seventh case of small pox in this city was reported to the board of health here today. The victim is Stephen Hagan, and his case like Mrs. Bearce's which was discovered yesterday is a light one.

ADD DEWEY—SHELBURNE, VT.

After breakfast, the admiral and the other gentlemen of the party were taken for a carriage ride by Dr. Webb, through the latter's vast estate, which consists of some 35,000 acres. They did not return to the house until just before 1 o'clock. Luncheon came at 1.30. After lunch the visitors made preparations for their departure for the capital city of the state.

PERSONAL.

John McCluskey, formerly of the Boott repair shop has accepted a position at the machine shop of Sargent and Sons at Graniteville.

Mr. Robert Kayo and family of Loomis, Cal. are visiting friends in this city and are the guests of Mr. Edmund Brickett, 65 Dover street. Mr. Kayo resided in Lowell may years ago.

Mrs. J. Hauver of Chelmsford has gone to North Adams for a week or 10 days' visit.

Mrs. Bradshaw of Bridgeport, Conn., and Miss Sowerby of Dover, N. H. are the guests of Mrs. L. Foall of Grace Avenue. Miss Foxall returned from Bridgeport Saturday, where she has been for the past two months.

The Murray club will meet with Miss Minnie Farnham, 300 School street this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hibbard returned yesterday from a vacation spent with Mr. Hibbard's relatives in Ticonderoga. Mr. Hibbard brought home several valuable relics including grape shot and pieces of the walls of the old fort.

Miss Edith Richardson is in Vermont, where she will attend the Dewey reception.

Mr. S. R. Fleet has accepted the position of organist in the Pawtucket church.

Mr. James S. McKay, a prominent member of the Spindle City wheelmen is rejoicing over the arrival of a boy at his home on East Merrimack street yesterday morning. Mother and child are doing well.

A BANK OF FOG

Impeded Traffic in Boston This Morning

TWO TRAINS IN A COLLISION

Three Postal Clerks Were Slightly Injured

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Oct. 11.—A heavy bank of fog which hung over the city and harbor early this morning, caused great inconvenience to shipping and railroading, one or two slight accidents resulting. In the harbor it was impossible to see a cables length, and ferry navigation was conducted under difficulties. All moving steam craft, sounded their whistles constantly, speed was reduced to a minimum and other precautions were taken to prevent collisions.

The trainmen at the great yards at the North and South terminal stations were also badly handicapped in their work by the dense vapor. At the entrance of the South terminal station, the 5.30 postal train, which arrived from New York over the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, crushed into a number of empty cars being made up into the Colonial express and shoved them through a rail fence at the depot entrance. The train was made up wholly of postal cars and was going at a moderate rate of speed. No one was seriously injured, although three of the postal clerks were considerably shaken up and bruised.

The names of the injured are as follows:

Eben Thomson, Lynn, head cut; John Beaver, Boston, lost several teeth; W. J. Stoddard, Roxbury, injury to right knee.

The accident caused no great delay to the trains, but many of them were late on account of the fog.

At one time there were nine trains waiting to get into the South terminal station. The accident damaged the tracks and caused a partial disarrangement of the switching system.

PENSION CHANGES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The following pension changes, resulting from the issue of September 22, are announced: Massachusetts: Original: John P. Webster, Haverhill, $6; John W. Geldart (dead), Newburyport, $12; Chas. W Richardson, Boston, $8; Peter A. Martin, Lynn, $6; Henry A. Searle, Springfield, $8. Additional: Special Steptember 28, James M. Seavey, Roxbury, $8 to $10; Peter A. Morrill, of Lynn, $6 to $12. Increase: Special September 28, Edward W. Hitchcock, Brimfield, $4 to $6. Original widows, etc: Bridget A. Bailey, Boston, $12.

KRUGER'S BIRTHDAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PRETORIA, Oct. 10 (Delayed in transmission). —President Kruger's birthday was announced this morning with a salute in camp and a general display of flags throughout the town. There was no official reception, but the foreign representatives called upon the president. The British diplomatic agent, Mr. Conyngham Greene, was represented by the secretary of the agency. Congratulatory telegrams were received from the president from all parts of the South African republic and Europe.

In the course of the morning, addressing a body of burghers, who called immediately before setting out for the front, the president impressed upon them that they must not trust to themselves, but should place all their reliance upon God, who directs every bullet. "You must keep up your courage," he said, "and remember that in former days, although our enemies were numerous, comparative few burghers fell."

TRANSPORT NEWPORT DOCKED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal. Oct. 11.—The transport Newport, which arrived here from Manila with 461 discharged soldiers has been docked and her soldiers will probably be landed today. The transport was the scene of a continual reception yesterday. All day long tug boats, small steamers and other boats hovered around the steamer and boxes of fruit and good things to eat were continually passed out to the boat by friends and relatives of the soldier.

IN HONOR OF FUNSTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

TOPEKA, Kan., Oct. 11—Upon the receipt of the bulletin announcing the arrival of General Funston and the 20th Kansas at San Francisco, bedlam broke loose in Topeka. The whistles of the manufacturing institutions began to screach and every church bell in the city rang out the good tidings. The streets were soon filled with people and there was great rejoicing. Reports of similar demonstrations came from other Kansas towns.

RESIDENCE BURNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ESSEX, Conn., Oct. 11—The residence of Captain George L. Dickinson, here, was destroyed by fire early this morning, entailing a loss of about $5,000, partially insured. The fire is thought to have been of incendiary origin.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARIES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 11.—The annual conference of the Woman's Auxiliaries of the Young Men's Christian associations of Massachusetts and Rhode Island opened at the Y. M. C. A. building in this city at 10.30 o'clock this morning.

The attendance was very large. A praise service which opened the conference was followed by a quiet hour, with an address by Rev .F. B. Johnson of Lynn, Mass.

At the afternoon session, which began at 2.45 o'clock, several papers were read.

BRITISH INTERESTS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Oct. 11.—The foreign office confirms the report from Washington that Great Britain has asked the United States government to empower the U. S. consular authorities in the Transvaal to represent British interests there during the hostilities.

OLD DIRECTORS CHOSEN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Oct. 11.—Only five stockholders were present at the annual meeting of the Boston & Providence railroad here today. The old board of directors was re-elected by a vote of 5,520 shares.

BOERS MOBILIZED

The First Draft Ready for Battle

ARE SUPPOSED TO HAVE CROSSED BORDER

A Man Held on Suspicion as a Spy

By Associated Press to The Sun.

VOLKSRUST, Transvaal, Oct. 11.—The entire first draft of the Transvaal and Free State Boers is now mobilized. The Laager has been shifted to a better position for water and grazing. The generals commandants and field cornets have inspected the various strategetical positions on the border.

A man ostensibly coming from the Orange Free State has been detained here, owing to his suspicious actions.

OVER THE BORDER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Oct. 11.—If the latest reports which are confirmed from various points in South Africa are true, the Boers have not waited for the expiration of the time limit, but have already crossed the border.

FORM OF DECLARATION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Oct. 11.—So far as a declaration of war is concerned, the feeling in London is that the Transvaal government will merely invite the British diplomatic agent, Mr. Conyingham Greene, to leave Pretoria on the expiration of the time limit of the ultimatum.

Such an act would preclude the necessity of any further declaration. Certainly Great Britain will not declare war against what she considers a deponent state.

Actual hostilities, therefore, are expected to take the place of a formal declaration.

Lord Roseberry, the former premier and Liberal leader, has finally declared his position relative to the South African question. In a letter, under today's date, he says: "I have maintained silence because I am loathe to re-enter politics. Today, however, I can speak without exciting politics for a situation has been created which is beyond party politics. I think there is much in the last three years of our relations with the government of the Transvaal to criticise, if not condemn; but, that is all over for the present. It is needless to discuss how we could best have attained our simple and reasonable object of rescuing our fellow countrymen in the Transvaal from intolerable conditions of subjection and injustice, and of securing equal rights for the white races in South Africa; for an ultimatum has been addressed to Great Britain by the South African republic, which is itself a declartion of war.

"In the face of the attack on the nation, the people will undoubtedly close their ranks and relegate party controversies to a more convenient season.

"There is one more word to be said. Without attempting to judge the policy which concluded a peace after the reverse at Majuba Hill, I am bound to state my profound conviction that there is no conceivable government in this country which could repeat."

It is reported from Glasgow that the Allan line steamship Siberian has been chartered to take 1,000 men and officers from Montreal to South Africa.

Mr. William T. Stead, editor of the Review of Reviews, in the course of an interview, said:

"I maintain that this war is being forced upon the Boers by men who have never forgiven Majuba Hill. In my opinion, owing to Great Britain's unpreparedness, hostilities during the next two months will resemble the international yacht race off Sandy Hook. As there cannot be any serious fighting during that period, hostilities will be as dull as yacht races without wind. Long before Christmas, I take it the tool-fury of the jingoes will have evaporated."

ORDERED TO RETURN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PRETORIA, Oct. 11.—The Official Gazette today contains a proclamation calling upon all burghers domiciled outside the republic without permission of the government, to present themselves forthwith to the respective commandants for service, failing which they will be punished by fines varying from £100 to £500, or by imprisonment and confiscation of property.

A PROCLAMATION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CAPE TOWN, Oct. 11.—Sir Alfred Milner, governor of Cape Colony and British high commissioner in South Africa, has issued a proclamation declaring all persons abetting the enemy in a state of war with Great Britain, to be guilty of high treason.

The news of the Boer ultimatum and of the character of the demands evoked at first only incredulity. When the report was confirmed, incredulity gave way to a feeling of stupor, which was shortly replaced by anger at the impertinence of the document. Then followed signs of relief at the relation of the long tension and the final clearing up of the situation by an ultimatum. Although the progressives do not profess to desire war for war's sake there is universal belief that only war can effect a settlement.

There is little fear with regard to the possibility of a successful Boer attack upon Cape Colony. It is believed that the garrison is well able to hold its own. The fact is recalled, that in 1881 when the British were standing on the defensive, they were almost invariably successful.

In the course of a debate in the Cape House of Assembly last evening regarding the allegations of Boer maltreatment of refugees from the Transvaal, the Premier, Mr. W. P. Schreiner implored the house not to believe the newspapers in this particular.

"So far as I know," he said, "there is no truth in the statement that the Orange Free State railway officials have committed brutal assaults upon refugee passengers and the officials deny these statements."

On the other hand the reports of outrages and insult are plentifully corroborated.

BOERS REINFORCING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PETERMARITZBURG, Natal, Oct 10 (Delayed in transmission). All concede that active operations are merely a matter of a few days and perhaps of a few hours. The Boers are rapidly reinforcing on the borders and becoming more warlike. A considerable number are now gathered. From that point, however, in the event of a further advance, they would probably find British forces at Ladysmith and Dundee capable of repelling their attacks.

At Ladysmith the garrison which has to guard against an onslaught from the Orange Free State was reinforced yesterday by the Gordon Highlanders, and a strong contingent of Indian troops and the authorities are now confident of their ability to deal out an unpleasant surprise to the Boers in the event of an attempt to rush the position.

At Dundee there are about 6,000 men. This force ought to be sufficient to stem a Boer advance by way of Zululand and to maintain the line of communication with the base at Pietermaritzburg, the headquarters of General Sir George Stewart White.

On the Bechuanaland border, the situation seems to give the Boers a temporary advantage. There is considerable anxiety in the districts of Vryburg and Mafeking, although it is hoped that the reinforcements recently despatched there will be sufficient to protect the rich town of Kimberly.

The attitude which the Cape Colony ministry will adopt on the actual outbreak of hostilities is much discussed here. Dispatches from Cape Town say that the cabinet will resign while there are persistent reports in London that Sir Alfred Milner, governor of Cape Colony, has already dismissed Mr. W. P. Schriner and his colleagues. It is evident that one or the other of the contingencies must occur as the governor and commander-in-chief must be in a position to carry out defensive measures without regard to possible obstruction on the part of an unsympathetic cabinet.

LEAVING PRETORIA.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CAPE TOWN, Oct. 11.—Mr. Conyngham Greene, the British diplomatic agent in the Transvaal, is expected to leave Pretoria this evening, (Wednesday).

BIG GUN POSTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PRETORIA, Oct. 11.—The German detachment has posted a big gun on the Free State-Natal border in a position to aid Wakkerstroom. Five hundred burghers assisted in hauling the gun up a steep and almost inaccessible acclivity.

REVOLUTION IMMINENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Oct. 11.—An important South African firm in London has just received a dispatch from Cape Town, saying that a revolution of the Dutch in Cape Colony is regarded as imminent.

CONSULATE CLOSED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Oct. 11.—Mr. Montague White, consul-general of the South African republic in London, closed the consulate this afternoon and immediately left for the continent.

Mr. White, before leaving, said to a representative of the Associated Press: "The expected has happened. I only hope the hellishness of this premeditated crushing out of a hardy republic is now apparent. Let me remind America that the onus of war lies not upon those who fire the first shot, but upon those who compel it to be fired.

"Technically, we have temporarily put ourselves in the attitude of an aggressor; but who would not have done so when he believed the existence of his country was at stake? I think we must look far ahead to see the consequences of this war. Instead of the pacification of South Africa, which is the alleged aim of England, we shall have perpetual unrest. These very people for whom England is now fighting will turn against her in time to come and protest against her rule as bitterly as they are now protesting against ours.

"For weeks I had seen England's determination to force a hostile issue, or rather Mr. Chamberlain's, I am sure he is only a member of the cabinet, whose mind was thoroughly made up throughout all the negotiations. Opposition to Mr. Chamberlain's policy exists to a greater extent than is generally conceived."

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, Oct. 11.—Forecast for Boston and vicinity: Fair tonight, threatening and probably shower Thursday; variable winds.

FIVE YEARS' SENTENCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 11.—Louis L. Rose, in the common pleas court today, entered a plea of nolo contendere to four indictments charging him with forging the name of O. W. Oswell of Pawtucket to checks varying in amount from $50 to $100.

He was sentenced to five years on each charge, the sentences to run concurrently.

CONTRACT AWARDED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BROCKTON, Mass., Oct. 11.—County commissioners today awarded contracts for work at Scituate harbor to Richard P. Shipnahan of Boston, provided he will accept. His bids were $1.25 per running foot for harbor wall and $7 for North Scituate breakwater wall.

MUSIC HALL.

Miss Go-Won-Go-Mohawk, the only American Indian actress, closes her engagement at Music hall tonight. The Mail Carrier, differs from all other Indian plays inasmuch at is the creation of an Indian woman from the scenes of actual life among the American Indians. The authoress is Miss Mohawk, who also figures in the drama in the principal character, that of Wep-Ton-No-Mah. The play under notice is full of spirit and realistic to a degree.

A most successful mingling of gilt-edged burlesque, ballet, minstrelsy, up-to-date vaudeville, spectacular, Parisian sensation, gorgeous marches, with brand new light effects, pretty, dainty women in airy array and plenty of them, up-to-date comedians, costumes, scenery and properties, briefly describes Sam T. Jack's Own Burlesque company. For last three nights of this week.

CLOVER LEAF CASES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Oct. 11.—The United States court of appeals has denied the petitions for re-hearing the famous Clover Leaf railroad cases. This practically disposes of the litigation, and leaves the road in a position to be taken out of the hands of the receiver.

FIRES UNDER CONTROL.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 11.—Reports from Mill Valley indicate that the brush and forest fires in that vicinity are now under control unless strong breezes again fan the flames into activity. The loss conservatively estimated will be in the neighborhood of $150,-000. Many fine residences were burned.

POLITICAL REFUGEES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Oct. 11.—The steamship Empress of India sailed last night for Hong Kong and Yokohama. Kang Yu Wei went aboard the vessel at the last moment for Yokohama. The Japanese consul has cabled his government at Tokio telling of the Cantonese reformers' presence on board, so that the Japanese authorities will refuse landing to the political refugees at any of their ports.

ANNUAL MEETING

OF THE UNION VETERANS UNION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MIDDLEBORO, Mass., Oct. 11.—The 13th annual encampment of the Union Veterans' Union, Department of Massachusetts, opened here today with Department Commander W. L. French of Boston in the chair. After prayer by Chaplain Rev. W. C. Litchell, the department commander made his annual report, which showed a satisfactory condition of the department. Adjutant Gen. John Mandleville of Brockton reported a membership of 152 less than last year. Quartermaster J. H. Chase of Brockton reported that a commandery in Brockton, which had a membership of 82 and whose headquarters had recently been burned out had surrendered its charter. The financial report showed $125 in the treasury with no outstanding bills. The department adjourned for luncheon until 2 o'clock.

ODD FELLOWS MEET.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

KEENE, N. H., Oct. 11.—The annual meeting of the grand lodge of New Hampshire I. O. O. F. was opened here today with an attendance of 300 delegates. The report of the grand master was presented and approved and 60 new members were admitted

AWAITING DEWEY

People of Montpelier Crowd Around the Depot

A GREAT ATTENDANCE IS EXPECTED

At the Celebration in Montpelier, Vt

By Associated Press to The Sun.

SHELBURNE, Vt., Oct. 11.—As beautiful an Indian summer morning as October ever bestowed upon Vermont, greeted Admiral George Dewey, when he arose after a night spent under the roof of Dr. W. Seward Webb's Shelburne house at Shelburne Farms. Over the Green mountains, over to the eastward, came the sun, lighting up the land around the house, with almost kelidoscopic effect, while to the westward shone Lake Champlain, its placid surface reflecting back the bluest of autumnal skies. The air was as mellow as a June morning, the winterish tinge which had been in it during the past few days, having yielded to the westerly breeze.

It was a beautiful picture Admiral Dewey saw as, having arisen early, he passed out of the house for a stroll on the lawn. Although an early riser, he was soon joined by the members of the household, and the time until breakfast, 8 o'clock, was spent in conversation.

The admiral enjoyed a restful night and is in the best of spirits, showing his relief from the strain he had undergone the past week.

MONTPELIER'S CELEBRATION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MONTPELIER, Vt., Oct. 11.—Today, the busiest the town has seen for many years, dawned bright and fair. Everybody was an early riser, especially the members of the Dewey state committee, upon whom devolved the plan of caring for the guest of the city during the next few days. The request for tickets to the State House stand, on which Admiral Dewey will view the parade and later be presented a medal by Governor Smith, has overtaxed the committee's resources, and there is a great rush for any kind of accommodation in the vicinity.

The people coming here signify their intention of taking anything they can get and the crush is expected to be enormous tomorrow. The rush of excursionists by train began in earnest this morning, specials arriving from the more distant points in the state and New York.

The work of decorating the city proceeded rapidly and today the erection of an immense aluminum flag on which the stars and stripes will be outlined in colored electric lights, making an especially fine effect, either lighted or unlighted, is being set up. It will be lighted tonight for the first time.

The outline of the state capital in incandescent lights is completed.

Inquiries are frequent as to when Admiral Dewey will arrive, and at noon the people began to congregate at the depot in anticipation of the appearance of party early in the afternoon.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

ANNIS HAD TROUBLE WITH HIS WIFE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BARRE, Vt., Oct. 11.—George N. Annis was found dying in bed at 4 o'clock yesterday morning. By his side was a revolver with several chambers discharged. In his head was a bullet hole, and over his heart was another. He died at 6 o'clock, at which time the tragedy was reported to the police.

Letters were found which showed that Annis had had trouble with his wife, who lives in Lowell, Mass. Annis was 56 years old.

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Good for Hop Bread.

Good for Hop Pillows.

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BOARD OF POLICE

OFFICER JOHN F. HEALEY PROMOTED TO THE REGULAR FORCE.

At the regular meeting of the board of police last night the following licenses were granted: Junk collector, Barney Shapiro, 81 Railroad street and David Kerb, 105 Chelmsford. Employment office, Carrie M. Geuther, 109 Merrimack. Bowling alleys, etc., James McLaughlin, 85 East Merrimack. Job and express, Martin P. Fahey, 101 Fremont and John Burke, 719 Lakeview avenue. Common victualler, Harry Demarais, 61 East Merrimack; Patrick Perren, 93 Manchester; Leonard P. Richardson, 391 Gorham; Annie Buzzle, 379 Middlesex; Eben E. Moore, 349 Middlesex and Joseph C. Batchelder, 143 Paige. Hawker and peddler, A. B. Fellows, Billerica; John O'Brien, Westford; Edgar P. Barclay, Chelmsford; Hattie A. Dane, Westford; Henry Shepherd, Dracut; Jeremiah Murphy, Tewksbury; William Horne, 161 Lakeview avenue; Arthur E. Wilson, Westford; Charles H. Noah, 17 W. Adams street. The pool license of William H. Bell, 349 Central street, was revoked.

Common victualler, Bridget Mullaney, 73 Concord street; Emily Lowe, 26 Fourth and John J. Kelley, 487 Worthen.

Hawker and peddlers' license, Michael Ready, Corbett place.

Officer John F. Healey was promoted from the supernumerary to the regular force to take the vacancy made by the dismissal of Dunlavey.

MATRIMONIAL.

Dr. James F. Sullivan and Miss Jeannette T. Costello, both of this city, were united in marriage last evening at 7.30 o'clock in the beautiful chapel of the Immaculate Conception parochial residence. The chapel was tastefully decorated for the occasion with ferns and potted plants and presented a beautiful appearance.

The matrimonial ceremony was performed by Rev. George A. Costello, of the Church of the Assumption of Brookline, a brother of the bride, assisted by Rev. William D. Joyce, O. M. I., pastor of the Immaculate Conception church.

The bride was attended by her sisters Misses Annabel and Catharine L., as bridesmaids and Miss Susie A. was maid of honor. The best man was Dr. Thomas J. Broderick of Charlestown, a classmate of the groom. The bride was given away by her father.

The bride was charmingly gowned in white satin, trimmed with rare point lace. The bridesmaids and maid of honor were also attractively gowned.

Immediately following the marriage ceremony, a reception was held at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Thomas Costello, 200 Nesmith street. Only relatives and immediate friends were present. After a short reception a bountiful wedding repast was served, the D. L. Page company catering.

The beautiful residence of Mr. Costello was also elaborately decorated with floral trimmings, combinations of oak leaves, roses and chrysanthemums. The decorations produced a pleasing and artistic effect. They were the work of Patten & Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan left early in the evening on a wedding tour. They were the recipients of many beautiful and costly wedding gifts.

HYDE--SHERBURNE.

Mr. Henry W. Hyde and Miss Ruth A. Sherburne, both well known young people of this city were married last evening at 6.30 o'clock in the Kirk street church in the presence of several hundred of their friends.

The decorations consisted of an elaborate arrangement of palms, evergreen trees and plants about the platform and the space immediately in front of it, forming an effective background for the wedding party.

Mr. George F. Hamer was the organist and he gave a varied program while the guests were assembling. The bridal chorus from Lohengrin was the march to which the procession entered the church. The bridegroom was attended by Mr. Edward H. Shattuck, his best man. The bride who was gowned in a lovely creation of white silk, entered with her father, Mr. Reuben Sherburne of Boston. She was attended by Miss Mary Emily Pitman of Raymond, N. H., who was gowned in white organdie and lace. The bride carried a bouquet of chrysanthemums. The ushers were Messrs. Charles A. Mitchell, Chas. D. Paige, Frank W. Hall, Ralph Hayden, Wallace P. Butterfield, and Lewis E. MacIlrayne.

Rev. William A. Bartlett, D. D., performed the ceremony and when the kneeling couple received the benediction, the joyous strains of the Mendelssohn march gave the step for the procession from the church. There was no reception. The young people, followed by the best wishes of their host of friends, left the city on an early evening train for the north. Upon their return they are to make their home in the Highlands. They received many wedding gifts.

McOSKER--KING.

Mr. Thomas F. McOsker, chief clerk in the office of the Boott corporation, and a popular member of the Alpine club, was united in marriage to Miss Annie E. King, a teacher at the Franklin school, this morning at 9 o'clock at the parochial residence of the Immaculate Conception parish.

The matrimonial ceremony was performed by the pastor, Rev. William D. Joyce, O. M. I., in the chapel which was beautifully decorated with ferns, potted plants and an abundance of autumn leaves.

The bride was attended by her sister Miss Marietta King, and the best man was Mr. John F. McOsker, a brother of the groom.

The bride was becomingly gowned in embroidered muslin over taffeta silk, with duchess lace trimmings. The bridemaid's dress was of white muslin and pink.

After the marriage ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, 223 Stackpole street, and was followed by a wedding repast, the D. L. Page company catering. Only relatives of the contracting parties were present at the reception.

Mr. and Mrs. McOsker leave this afternoon for an extended honeymoon. They will go to New York and thence to Old Point Comfort, Va., and on their return they will reside at 23 Huntington street.

The happy couple were the recipients of many beautiful and costly wedding gifts, from their numerous friends as both are quite popular.

HOUGH SENTENCED.

TO FIVE YEARS AND BAILEY CONTINUED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CONCORD, N. H., Oct. 11--Yesterday afternoon the cases of Harry F. Bailey of Colebrook and Harry Hough of Dover were taken up in the circuit court here.

In the case of Bailey, Mr. Bates asked that the case be allowed to go over until the December term with the understanding that at the latter time the respondent will plead nolo to the charge of making false returns to the controller of the currency.

After a few moments' delay, Bailey appeared and pleaded not guilty to the three charges of committing embezzlement and making false entry. It was agreed that bail commissioners should be appointed who should return the sureties before October 2 and the court ordered that the case be continued until the December term.

The case of Harry Hough of Dover was then called and the respondent pleaded nolo contendre to the charge of making false entries in the books of the Cocheco National bank.

William P. Nason, assignee of the savings bank, testified to Mr. Hough's great assistance upon the books of the institution and Receiver E. H. Carroll of the national bank made a similar statement. Judge Aldrich imposed a sentence on Hough of five years in jail one year at Dover and four years at Manchester.

TINY BABY GIRL

TWELVE INCHES LONG AND WEIGHS 15 OUNCES

By Associated Press to The Sun.

TAUNTON, Oct. 11.—A bright little girl baby—tremendously little at that—is the cause of much talk here. Her name is Marie Noemie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bernard of No. 9 Fourth avenue, and when she first saw the light of day on Friday last, weighed scarcely a pound, in fact only 15 ounces, according to the statement of the attending physician, and also the father.

When a reporter called there yesterday this mite of humanity was tugging away at a nursing bottle, and made herself heard when disturbed to be weighed and measured. At birth she was scarcely 12 inches long, but within the past four days she has grown almost as many inches, and is a trifle over 15. She has also thrived in weight having gained a quarter of a pound and with flannels removed today weighed a trifle over 19 ounces. Her form is symmetrical, though on a small scale, and the attending physician is confident that she will thrive and live.

The mother, Mrs. Bernard, was born in Capchat, Bonaventure county, province of Quebec, about 25 years ago, and her husband, who is a few years her senior, was born in the same province, at Iberville. They lived in Woonsocket, R. I., for a time before coming here. Mrs. Bernard was only 15 years of age when married, and this is her fifth child, the other four having been of normal size, but three have died at various ages. The fourth is living and is about 17 months old.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

There was a large attendance at the Sunday school in St. John's church Sunday afternoon. The sisters of the Notre Dame academy of St. Patrick's church, Lowell, have charge of the Sunday school this year.

A large delegation of North Chelmsford people will visit Boston Saturday to attend the grand Dewey celebration.

On account of the lower town hall being used for school purposes this year, the selectmen of Chelmsford have decided to have the polling place for voting of precinct two in the upper hall, instead of the lower hall, where the polling places have been in years past.

During the next few weeks there will probably be a checker series held between the married and single men of this village, and as there are quite a large number of good checker players in this village this winter, it is expected that many exciting games will be played.

Mr. Eugene Dutton will look after the street lamp lighting in North Chelmsford again this winter. Mr. Dutton has had the street lights in charge for the past few years.

It is reported that hen thieves are around the vicinity of this village and the many hen owners of North Chelmsford should be on their guard against them.

Sunday evening the Holy Name society of St. John's church held their regular monthly meeting in the church.

UNIVERSALIST CONFERENCE.

The Merrimack Valley conference of Universalists opens this month. The initial meeting is in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Lawrence. The program is as follows:

10.45 a. m. Conference meeting led by the Rev. W. E. Gaskin of Methuen.
11.15 a. m. Sermon by the Rev. F. W. Gibbs of Amesbury.
12.15 p. m. Dinner.
1.0 p. m. Business and election of officers.
2 p. m. Conference led by the Rev. J. C. Snow, D. D., of Haverhill, followed by address by the Rev. R. A. Greene of this city.

PEOPLE'S CLUB.

The women's branch of the People's club is now open in the Swan building and the rooms are provided with Welsbach lights, giving admirable advantages for reading and for the pursuit of branches taught in the various classes.

Classes announced this far are in dress making, plain sewing, buttonholes, embroidery, lace work and millinery. It is probable that classes in other branches will be opened later, and all interested in any department of work are invited to make inquiries or suggestions, and when feasible such classes will be formed.

As some of the classes already planned for are limited in number, early registration is desirable.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

At the regular meeting of Washington commandery, Golden Cross, tomorrow night, there will be a mock trial in which one of the members will be tried on a charge of larceny. It is expected that a large attendance will be present.

There will be a meeting of the Boott loom fixers at their hall this evening at 7.30 o'clock to settle important business. The meeting is especially for the Boott loom fixers and no others will be admitted.

At the regular meeting of the Burkes last night, 68 propositions were received and 51 new members were admitted.

It was voted to parade Burkes' Memorial Sunday.

A vote of thanks was extended to Representative M. M. Mansfield for donating the manual of the General Court also to Representative George B. Varney for donating books entitled "Acts and Resolves of the General Court," and the Bradford History of "The Plymouth Plantation."

It was voted to have a smoke talk next Tuesday evening.

Mt. Zion lodge of Good Templars held a reunion of past and present members in Good Templar hall last night. There was a large attendance, and all enjoyed the general good time that was in order. There were songs, readings, piano solos, and reminiscent remarks by several of the members and later on a few games were played. Those who took part were Miss Maude Hopkins, Miss Maude Curtis, Thomas Husband and others. Rev. N. W. Matthews gave a few words of a temperance vein, speaking of the improved condition of the city under no-license, and urging the members to do all they can toward helping the officers suppress the sale of the liquor traffic in the city. Refreshments were served later in charge of Miss Phoebe Crabb, assisted by Mrs. Hattie A. Hodge, Miss Maude Mountford, Miss Edith Williams, Miss Bertie McMillan and Mrs. Alexander Mack.

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SENATOR HOAR, CLARA BARTON AND GOVERNOR THOMAS WRITE TO THE SUN.

A Remarkable Article in which These Thinkers Tell the State of the Woman's Suffrage Movement—Plead for it and Predict its Bright and Glorious Future to the Readers of The Sun.

SEN. HOAR'S LETTER.

The Massachusetts Statesman Came to the Belief Long ago That Women Should Have Equal Rights With Men.

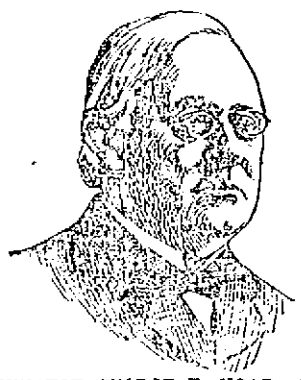
I came to the belief, long ago, that the welfare of the State, that the true interest of the women of America, that justice, which is the great standing policy of all civil society, alike demand that woman shall be admitted to her full and equal share of the government of the republic.

Our fathers believed that mankind were placed in this world for the training of the moral and spiritual nature by learning to submit a free will voluntarily to the moral law. They regarded the State is but one instrumentality in this education. The sublimest thing in the universe, except its Creator, is a human will governing itself in obedience to a law higher than its own desire. The sublimest manifestation of that self-control is when a self-governing State regulates its conduct by the moral law.

Now, undoubtedly, just as the moral qualities of the individual--self-control, honesty, frugality, industry, generosity and courage--are displayed in some calling to which man devotes his life, so the constituents of the self-governing State show the same qualities in certain functions in which the forces of the State are exerted. It is necessary to our conception of the ideal State to determine not only who shall control it and who shall constitute it, but the ends to the accomplishment of which its mighty forces are to be directed. These are, in general, defence against foreign and domestic violence; prevention and punishment of crime; making and enforcing laws which regulate property and the relation of men to each other; the accomplishment of those things to which individual resources and capacity are unequal, such as the provision of institutions of education; caring for the insane, the blind, the deaf and dumb, the poor; the establishment of libraries and museums; the construction of public roads; the post office; the regulation and control of great commercial transactions and instrumentalities; and the choice of legislators, judges, executive officers, and all the instruments by which all these things are to be accomplished.

WOMEN SHOULD VOTE.

Now, we demand two very simple things. First, that in counting the votes for these instruments in our elections, the vote of women shall be counted. Second, that when the people vote for public officers, or they are otherwise appointed, if a woman seem to be the fittest person for the place, she may be selected. That is all.



SENATOR GEORGE F. HOAR, OF MASSACHUSETTS.

It is less than forty years since the movement for woman suffrage began to assume serious proportions. The men and women who took up the advocacy of this cause had to encounter prejudices which had existed since the foundation of the earth, so far as we know anything of human history. The relation of woman to man was a relation of inferiority and of incapacity to act for herself in all the important transactions of life. Woman was not permitted to vote; she could hold no office, except that by a strange anomaly she could occupy the throne of some of the most powerful and highly civilized monarchies of the earth. The married woman could hold no property; could make no contract; had no lawful control over her own children or her own person; she could not make a will; the custom of society shut her out from the learned professions and from all profitable occupations. It was deemed unbecoming for her to speak in public, and in many parts of the world to appear in public without an escort. If those who ask now that the vote of woman shall be counted in the United States have any prejudice to encounter, let those who feel it remember that forty years ago it would have seemed far more monstrous to them to do away with the condition of things that I have described, than it does to-day to count the votes of their wives, or their sisters, or their mothers.

To-day woman manages her property; she has the control of her own person; she is admitted to the bar of the Supreme Court of the United States, and to the pulpit; she manages the post office; she is librarian of the public library; she conducts the school; she practices medicine; she is head of the hospital; she has elevated the calling of the trained nurse to a high rank among liberal professions. If a remnant of the ancient barbarism is sometimes discovered anywhere lurking among the mass of our statutes men are filled with wonder and disbelief when the fact is made known; and a remedy is at once applied. No man can be found so conservative as to desire to take a backward step in any of these things.

THE SUFFRAGE QUESTION.

Now, the debate between the advocates of woman suffrage and its opponents is, to my mind, but a contest between two theories of the function of the State. If the State is to do nothing or to do little but to raise and discipline armies, to build jails, and to establish police courts, the less woman has to do with it the better for her, and the better for the State, except that even here the State must largely depend upon her for the instrumentalities which are to diminish the evil of war and lessen its horrors. If, on the other hand, it is so to use its forces as to put an end to these things; if education, justice, science, art, charity, the promotion of commerce and manufacture, the healing of diseases, the promoting everywhere increased reverence for the individual soul, be a function to which its great forces are to be devoted in the future, then it is indispensable that woman should have in its management her full and equal share.

If to clothe woman with the elective franchise is to take from her a tithe of her womanhood; if she is to become less gentle, modest, affectionate, pure, sweet, we abandon the field at once. If to impose upon her political duties is to be inconsistent with her supreme duties at home, she must still devote herself to the latter and keep aloof from the former. But I believe that the perfect State, according to my conception of it as the great example and instrument of self-government, needs the element of perfect womanhood, according to the American and the English conception of womanhood. I believe that the accomplishment by this vast force and influence, the concentrated power of the republic, of results for humanity not otherwise to be attained, can be made easier and surer by the aid of the qualities which the women of the republic alone can furnish.

GEORGE F. HOAR.

FROM GOV. THOMAS.

He Says That Woman's Suffrage has Passed the Experimental State in Colorado and is now Established.

Woman suffrage has passed its experimental stages in Colorado, and the public verdict is one of approval. Only those who expected a moral transformation from its adoption have been disappointed. Those of us who believed that women should assume their proportion of public responsibility, and secure as individuals the benefits of a broader citizenship, and that through the suffrage, the general standard of womanhood would be uplifted, have reason to feel that our opinions have been sustained by the experiences of the past four years.

Women are prone to regard the possession of the franchise as a serious public trust, and they vote for the most part from a sense of duty. To perform this duty properly they seek to inform themselves concerning public questions, and in doing this they naturally extend their inquiries into other fields of knowledge. Their clubs are devoted to discussions and criticisms, to the mastery of parliamentary rules and other details of procedure, which are only more natural to men because the latter have had more need to know them. Our women are consequently making mental progress; enlarging the horizon of their information and demonstrating the truth of Wendell Phillips' reflection that they have been superficial in their mental acquirements, only when their environments made it unnecessary for them to be anything else. I think it safe to say that the women of Colorado, now five years on their way of suffrage, are as well posted and as capable of voting intelligently upon current political and industrial problems as any other class of voters in the United States; and that their sense of duty involved in the proper discharge of their political rights is higher than that of the average male voter.

Nor has the Colorado woman lost any of her feminine graces or charms through her performance of public duty. The home circle, the vocations of wife, mother and daughter, are unimpaired by contact with political life. The ghost of woman's degradation through the investiture of the suffrage has never materialized in Colorado. I can, therefore, say without hesitation that woman's enjoyment of political right and prerogative is wholly compatible with every duty and requirement of her daily life.

HE TAKES PLEASURE IN WRITING AN ARTICLE ON HIS FAVORITE TOPIC FOR OUR SUBSCRIBERS.

GOVERNOR C. S. THOMAS, OF COLORADO, WHO APPROVES OF WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE.

To the bread-winning portion of the sex the ballot is a boon. She is a factor whose power must be respected. Like her brother, she is to be reckoned with at the polls. Hence it is her buckler against industrial wrong, her protection against the constant tendency to reduce her wages because of her helplessness. If no other reason existed for conferring this right upon womankind, this, to the man of justice, should be all-sufficient.

One curious effect of woman suffrage has not yet been much commented on. It is that as a rule the women of the half-world prefers not to vote, and generally will not unless she is pressed or coerced to do so. One of the stock arguments against the granting of the privilege has been that this class will do most of the voting and exert most of the influence. It is well founded in theory, but in practice the pleasing fact seems to be otherwise. I think the reason for this is that these poor creatures are, more than any others, the sport and plaything of local political pulls and spites and jealousies. They fear that by voting they will incur the animosity of the powers that "be" or "may be," and therefore take refuge in abstention. But whatever the reason, the end predicted from this source has not yet materialized.

Another advantage to be briefly noticed is the higher tone which prevails in the deliberations of caucuses and conventions. Men and women become excited and passionate at these gatherings, but the profanity and vulgarity of the old regime have departed. Violent disturbances are practically unknown. The presence of women elevates the deliberations of assemblies and reminds us that at these places, as at all others, we should be gentlemen.

Some of the good results of woman suffrage, briefly summarized, are:

Increased responsibility resulting in the acquisition of knowledge, thus broadening the mental horizon of women generally.

Increased capacity for the intelligent exercise of the suffrage, which is regarded as the imposition of a duty rather than the grant of a privilege.

The compatibility of every womanly trait with every political prerogative.

The elevation of the working woman by the possession of political power, thus enabling her to fight life's battles on terms of equality with competitors.

A general elevation and improvement in the tone of practical politics.

C. S. THOMAS.

Executive Chamber,
Denver, Colo.

CLARA BARTON SELDOM DEPARTS FROM HER OWN FIELD OF LABOR, BUT SHE MAKES AN EXCEPTION IN THE ACCOMPANYING STIRRING APPEAL.

THE PICTURE OF CLARA BARTON WHICH THE RED CROSS WORKERS WILL USE IN PAINTING A LIFE-SIZE HEAD AS A MEMORIAL OF THEIR LEADER.

MISS BARTON'S APPEAL.

Man who owes so Much to Woman Should not Hesitate About Granting to her This Piece of Simple Justice.

It was a surprise to me that my opinions either way should be held of sufficient importance to be mentioned. What difference could it make to others what I approved or disapproved, believed or disbelieved in? But as I reflected upon it it did occur to me that perhaps it ought to be of sufficient importance to myself to induce me to take the opportunity which offers at this moment to make my record a trifle more clear, if possible, and this will require very little time.

I believe I must have been born believing in the full right of woman to all the privileges and positions which nature and justice accord to her in common with other human beings. Perfectly equal rights—human rights. There was never any question in my mind in regard to this. I did not purchase my freedom with a price; I was born free; and when, as a younger woman, I heard the subject discussed, it seemed simply ridiculous that any sensible, rational person should question it. And when, later, the phase of woman's right to suffrage came up, it was to me only a part of the whole, just as natural, just as right, and just as certain to take place.

And whenever I have been urged, as a petitioner, to ask for this privilege for woman, a kind of dazed, bewildered feeling has come over me.

Of whom should I ask this privilege? Who possessed the right to confer it? Who had greater right than woman herself? Was it man, and if so, where did he get it? Who conferred it upon him? He depended upon woman for his being, his very existence, nurture, and rearing. More fitting that she should have conferred it upon him.

Was it governments? What were they but the voice of the people? What gave them their power? Was it divinely conferred? Alas! no; or they would have been better, purer, more just and stable.

Was it force of arms—war? Who furnished the warriors? Who but the mothers? Who reared the sons and taught them that liberty and their country were worth their blood? Who gave them up, wept their fall, nursed them in suffering, and mourned them dead?

Was it labor? Women have always, as a rule, worked harder than men.

Was it capital? Woman has furnished her share up to the present hour. Who, then, can give her the right, and on what basis? Who can withhold it?

In regard to my nationality, I was born in the old Huguenot town of Oxford, Mass., U. S. A. My father and mother were born there. My grandfathers and grandmothers, with two exceptions, were born, lived, died, and were buried there.

There is, once in a while, a monarch who denies the right of man to place a crown upon his head. Only the Great Jehovah can crown and anoint kings for his work, and he reaches out, takes the crown, and places it upon his heir with his own hand. I suspect that this is in effect what woman is doing to-day. Virtually there is no one to give her the right to govern herself, as men govern themselves by self-made and self-approved laws of the land. But in one way or another, sooner or later, she is coming to it. And the number of thoughtful and right-minded men who will oppose, will be much smaller than we think; and when it is really an accomplished fact, all will wonder, as I have done, what the objection ever was. CLARA BARTON.

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TELEPHONE ISSUE

Discussed at Length Before City Council Last Night

The Globe Company Heard on its Petition for Franchise — The Hearing Again Continued for Two Weeks

The regular meeting of the board of aldermen was held last evening and after an hour of regular business the hearing of the Globe Telephone company continued from the last meeting was resumed, Mayor Crowley presided.

There were several petitions referred to the proper committees. A $35,000 resolution to pay Daniel Gage the award in his suit for damages was passed and the joint resolution providing for the purchase of a boat and grappling irons to be used for the recovery of drowned bodies was passed in concurrence.

The report of the committee on sewers recommending the construction of a sewer in Manchester street was read. The estimated expense is $480 and the probable amount of assessment on the abuttors $240. Mr. Dimon said that a mill there had been obliged to empty into the street and the board of health has peremptorily ordered that the nuisance be corrected. The resolution accompanying the report, providing for the building of the sewer, was passed without oposition.

An order for the state election Tuesday, Nov. 7, was passed. This includes the election for sheriff and a notice to that effect was read.

A resolution to transfer $600,000 from the general treasury fund to pay temporary loans in anticipation of taxes was passed.

Resolutions to accept sidewalks in Westford street, in Tyler Park, westerly side of Robbins street, in Fort Hill avenue and on the westerly side of School street from Broadway, north, were passed. The recommendation that a grist of petitioners be given leave to withdraw, was endorsed.

Monthly reports were placed on file in concurrence with the lower board and sidewalk assessments were confirmed in concurrence.

The mayor presented his list of precinct officers which goes over until the next meeting. Aldermen Wilder and Chapin were appointed a committee to meet the selectmen of Chelmsford on the question of the town line.

A committee from the Trades and Labor council was present and a petition from them was read asking for a hearing.

It was voted to give it at the next meeting of the board.

Building licenses were granted and a communication was read from the Massachusetts Telephone and Telegraph company, asking that its hearing be given at the next meeting of the board, officers of the company who desired to attend being unable to be present. It was so voted.

The telephone hearing was then taken up.

The remonstrance had been opened at the previous meeting and was resumed, the first speaker being Samuel L. Powers, counsel for the New England company. He said the New England company was organized sixteen years ago and operated in the New England states. Ninety-five per cent. of the capital was owned in Massachusetts and more stock was held in Lowell than in any other city of its size. Such a company had a right, he claimed, to oppose the petition of a corporation coming from another state. The New England company was found to give good service for reasonable rates and for a fair return.

"The New England company, managed by Massachusetts men and Massachusetts money, desire to deal fairly with Massachusetts people," he continued. "It has built up a great business. In four states it has 50,000 subscribers, more than there are in the whole of France, and nearly as many as in England. This has taken brains and capital. We do not say that the service is perfect or the art of telephones entirely understood. It is not as good as it will be in five years more. All that the New England company is trying to do is to earn 6 per cent. upon its capital stock. The largest dividend that it ever paid was $6 on a share and the stock sells at $150 or $151. Not even the enemies of the company pretend that it is over-capitalized. If stock sells so far above par when the directors avow that they do not intend to earn over 6 per cent., then there must be something solid behind it.

"You mayl think that your rates are high in Lowell. We are willing that a special committee from your board should look into the question of what we make in Lowell. We have nothing to hide from you. Averaging all the telephones in Lowell, you pay 2 1-5 cents whenever you use your telephone. Is that unreasonable? For that price, or about what it costs you to buy a stamp, you call up 1350 subscribers any part of the day or night or on Sunday to talk for five minutes. A letter would cost the other man a stamp before you got a reply, and I do not include the cost of paper and envelopes.

"In Boston the average cost to telephone was five cents and now, with over 20,00 subscribers, the cost there is 1½ cents. The cost will decrease in Lowell in the future. The policy of our company is that all that we earn over 6 per cent. shall be given to the subscribers in reduced rates. Does your railway or gas company say that? I will wager that there is not another corporation in New England that has such a system.

"I believe that it is the duty of every public service corporation to decrease its rates when it earns more than a reasonable return on the money invested. This may seem extreme to some corporation men, but it is a condition that must be faced in Massachusetts.

"Mr. Kirk of New Jersey, at the last hearing, stated that it would cost $100 a subscriber for a metallic circuit. That seems small to us, for we place the cost at $250. He proposed to charge $15 a year for telephones, but his taxes and depreciation in one year would amount to $16, and this takes no account of labor and maintenance. Fifty per cent. of the money that we earn is paid out to labor.

"It is ridiculous to talk of $15 telephones in Lowell. I would like nothing better than a special committee to look into this question of how much money we are making in Lowell on the $250,000 invested here. Mr. Kirk stated that in Paterson, N. J., the old company had cut rates because of competition. This is not so. The rates have not been cut, but are higher than in Lowell. They have a 500 call rate for $25 a year, but it is on an eight party line. It appears that the old company is growing all the time. Why doesn't the new company, with its $15 a year rate, take the whole field? It must be because the new company does not give as good service, or because the people have no confidence that it has come to stay.

"You have an example of competition near at hand in the failure of the competing company in Manchester, where a $40,000 plant was sold at a receiver's sale for $8000, and found no purchaser but the New England company. There have been seven or eight competing companies in Massachusetts and only one of them survives, the little company in Haverhill. You take away the opportunity of the stock jobbers, and you take away their incentive to build telephone lines. These companies organized under Delaware and New Jersey laws are raising their money by selling stock, and it is the men who put in the hard cash who meet the losses.

"The New England company stands here as representing Massachusetts men and Massachusetts money willing to do its duty under the laws of the state. It cannot give a $15 service. It buys its supplies in the lowest market, and it can economize in but one manner, in labor. It has hired American labor at American wages. Cheaper labor is to be found if we change the system. You have never seen us doing our work in Lowell by contract labor. We could have done it cheaper, but it was not our system.

"We are giving you the best service possible. But, you say, we should do something more for the city. Are we doing nothing for the city? We are one of your largest taxpayers. The Globe company offered to pay you 5 per cent. on their net earnings. There will be no net earnings on the rate proposed. How much would they pay you in taxes. They offer free telephones, but our taxes amount to several dollars to every one you pay us.

Alderman Chapin said he understood that the Globe company did not promise a $15 rate but intended to charge $30 a year.

Edward D. McVey appeared in remonstrance to the Globe company's petition, believing in municipal telephones, but he said that between the two companies, his sympathies would be with the Globe company. The New England company, he claimed, valued its franchise at $15,000,000 and has sold extra stock not for development but for the benefit of its stockholders. All companies asking for franchise, he thought were stock jobbers. The New England company had the right under New York laws to issue five million more of stock. All companies organized in New York were stock jobers.

Mr. McVey spoke at considerable length and Alderman Derby asked several questions of Mr. Powers. The latter said that in Lowell about $200 was represented on each telephone. He denied that the investment was as high as $700 per instrument. The comparatively small number of subscribers in Lowell was due to the fact that it has so large a mill population.

In reply to other questions, Mr. Powers said: "It can be no stock jobbing scheme when we have had the right to issue more stock for 15 years, and have never done it until last year, when we desired to retire a million dollars' worth of bonds. The company owes three million dollars, borrowed for construction."

John J. Harvey, Esq., appearing for the petitioners, disclaimed any intent of the Globe company to give telephone service for $15. He said the rates would be those set forth in the petition. The company made no issue with the New England company, for the service it was giving but it stood ready to begin to construct a telephone exchange in Lowell within a reasonable time after a franchise was granted.

At 11 o'clock the hearing was continued for two weeks.

COMMON COUNCIL.

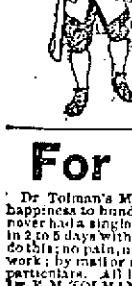
A meeting of the common council was also held last night. It was a special meeting and nineteen member were present. The principal business was the $35,000 loan resolution to pay the court award of damages to Daniel Gage. City Solicitor Qua had been invited to speak before the body in explanation of the matter and he did so at some length. He reviewed the history of the Pawtucket grade crossing and the suit that was the outcome of the construction of the road. He said it was necessary to pay the award at once. The railroad will pay back 65 per cent. of the amount to the city and the state will pay 25 per cent., leaving only 10 per cent. as the city's share.

Mr. Qua said these amounts would be paid by the railroad company and the state in a few weeks.

The city will have to borrow the money and the loan resolution was passed without a dissenting voice.

Resolutions to accept sidewalks in Westford, Robbins and School street and Fort Hill avenue were passed and leave to withdraw was granted on 11 petitions in which the improvements asked have already been made.

A grist of sidewalk assessments were confirmed and monthly reports were placed on file.



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The pupils and teachers of the Varnum school were startled yesterday afternoon when Roy Stevens, a pupil, accidentally discharged a 22-calibre revolver in school. Fortunately for him the weapon contained nothing more dangerous than blank cartridges.

Young Stevens was alone in a class room and just before the close of school yesterday forenoon he took the weapon from his pocket and began to fool with it. Placing it against his face he pulled the trigger, evidently thinking that it was not loaded and a loud report echoed through the corridors. The youngster was not seriously injured, however, his face being somewhat scorched by the powder and the upper part of his mouth being lacerated. He laughed at the consternation he had created and apparently did not suffer to any appreciable extent. He was a pupil in Miss Brandon's room.

RECKLESS DRIVER

RUNS OVER TWO SMALL BOYS.

George Burkinhead, aged 11 years, and residing at 141 Middlesex street, and John H. Lussier aged 9 years and living at 1407 Middlesex street were run over on Middlesex street shortly before 6 o'clock last night by a young man who was driving a team at a rapid pace and who, it is said, paid no attention to the little fellows. A street car conductor tried to stop the driver of the team to inquire his name but the fellow wouldn't stop. Some of the girls who were just coming from work from Pickering's hosiery and who saw the accident, rushed out into the street and compelled the man to give his name, which he said was Pinault.

A doctor was summoned to attend the Burkinhead boy, but it was found that no bones were broken. Lieut. Brosnan investigated the case and inasmuch as no serious results are likely to follow, no arrest is likely to be made.

SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING.

The semi-annual meeting of the Men's League of the Paige Street Free Baptist church was held Monday evening and there was a full attendance. Officers elected were: President, Elmer Brennan; vice president, W. O. Brown; secretary, Ernest J. Crawford; treasurer, Joseph Landry. The retiring officers were given vote of thanks. Sub committees are to be appointed later.

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By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—At the Lenox Athletic club last night Eddy Santry of Chicago knocked out Ben Jordan, the featherweight champion of England and the only lad who ever received a decision over George Dixon at the weights, after a little less than two minutes of fighting in the 16th round of one of the fastest fights that has taken place in this vicinity for some time.

Until the knockout Jordan was far ahead on points, but Santry's blows were truer to the mark and won him the battle. The little Englishman made a game fight but only upheld his standing as a boxer and proved that he could not stay the limit with a clever and hard hitter. Santry made the fight of his life and proved one of the greatest surprises of the season. He fought a cool, steady fight and showed excellent ring generalship and is likely to prove a hard proposition to many who aspire to championship honors.

About 4000 spectators were in the club house when the opening bout was put on. Andy Daly of Boston and Billy Gardner of Lowell were the principals, scheduled to go six rounds at 120 pounds. Daly was the aggressor from the start and kept Gardner on the move continually. The Lowell lad took too long in getting set and Daly jabbed the left to the face repeatedly and received the referee's decision at the close.

Another preliminary of 10 rounds at 135 pounds brought together Jim Dunne of Fall River and Percy McIntyre of New York. Both men fought fast but McIntyre, although the smaller, wore down his opponent with stiff body blows and during the latter part of the bout had Dunne almost out. McIntyre was awarded the decision.

Before the principals appeared the English boxers, Harry Ware, Dave Wallace and Will Curley, were introduced and received a hearty greeting. George Dixon was then introduced and was given an ovation. Jordan was the first to enter the ring, Santry appeared a moment later. Both stripped well but Santry had a slight advantage in height. Jordan was a 2 to 1 favorite in the betting but Santry seemed to have few willing to back him.

SMOKE TALK

AND ENTERTAINMENT HELD IN HIBERNIAN HALL.

After the regular business meeting of Division 11, A. O. H., last evening, a smoke talk and entertainment were tendered by Treasurer Charles H. Molloy to his fellow members and some invited friends.

A very pleasing entertainment was given, the talent being provided by Mr. William F. Healy. The program included piano solos by William J. Cowdrey of North Billerica; violin and piano solos by Prof. O'Rourke; song by Dr. Joseph F. Mulcahy; song, John Kane; recitation by Thomas Kelleher; song, Thomas J. Tobin; song, Fessor Dowd of Salem; solo by Dr. James McAdams; address and song by James O'Sullivan. There were also other songs and recitations which were ably rendered.

Refreshments were served during the evening and Dennis J. Corcoran, who presided over this department was complimented by those present for his untiring work. At the close of the smoke talk an informal vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Molloy for his hospitality.

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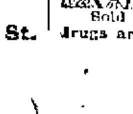

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Day Classes Begin Oct. 3rd.

Entrance examinations Thursday, Sept. 28, 9 a. m. at the school. Instruction in yarn manufacturing, designing, weaving, chemistry and dyeing.

Special classes in Art and Textile Design, $15 per term. Modern languages; French, German and Spanish, $8 per term, for both women and men.

Evening Classes Begin Oct. 16th.

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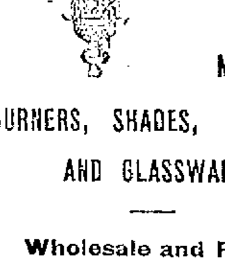

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That the mornings and evenings are getting cool and that you will have to get out your Winter Clothing? Well, here is where we come in to play. If you find out that your winter garments are soiled or faded bring them at once to the

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE SUN ON SALE IN BOSTON.

The five o'clock edition of The Sun is on sale at the news stand in the Union Station, Boston.

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Will be much less if you trade with us. 19 lbs. best granulated for $1.00. Delivered free to our tea and coffee customers. Dickson Bros., 68 Merrimack street.

STEAMSHIP TICKETS AND DRAFTS.

Steamship tickets to and from Boston, New York, Queenstown, Liverpool and all parts of the world sold on the Cunard Dominion, White Star, American Anchor, Allan, French and German lines. Drafts issued for £1 and upwards on Ireland, England and all parts of Europe. English sovereigns bought and sold at Murphy's, steamship agency, 15 Appleton street.

LOCAL NEWS.

Try Horne's Coal.

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Hot advertising—Stanley's coal.

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Coat Maker Wanted, 49 Cheever St. Telephone 853-3.

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If you want coal that will burn with the best results, order it of W. E. Livingston, 13 Thorndike street.

Pay your taxes now and avoid interest.

Cook, Taylor & Co., Central street, commence tomorrow a famous special tality.

And now about coal. We can sell you any of the standard grades as low as they can be sold. D. T. Sullivan, 981 Gorham St. Tel. 713-2.

A PLEASANT RECEPTION.

A happy gathering at the rooms of Mrs. Maude Swallow, matron of the Bon Marche building, was held last evening, the occasion being in honor of Mrs. E. Greenhalge of Philadelphia. It was Mrs. Greenhalge's first visit in seven years and the dozen or more friends who assembled at the matron's cosy rooms exerted every effort to make that estimable lady feel that time but strengthens the bonds of friendship. A social time, interspersed with song and story reminiscent of the days of yore, passed the hours of the evening most pleasantly. The D. L. Page company served a repast during the evening. A happy feature of the evening was the readings of Mrs. Leggatt who entertained the assemblage with her inimitable impersonations.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

The marriage of Mr. John Barrett of Lowell and Miss Bridget McPhips of North Chelmsford, will take place at 3.30 o'clock this afternoon at the parochial residence of St. John's church.

A large number of the members of the North Chelmsford Debating society attended the debate of the West Chelmsford Debating society which was held in Marshall's hall, West Chelmsford Saturday evening. The subject under discussion was "Resolved, That the principle of electing representatives to the Massachusetts legislature for two consecutive terms is in the interest of good government.

Messrs. John J. Gray and Walter Finch two well known young men of this village, have gone to Providence, R. I.

Mr. John McTague of Boston spent Sunday with his folks in North Chelmsford.

Business is booming in the Chelmsford foundry at the present time and it is expected that it will continue good for many months yet.

Dr. Colburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

OFFICER DUNLAVEY, WHO HAS BEEN DISMISSED FROM THE POLICE FORCE FOR NEGLECT OF DUTY.

MINISTERS MEET

Semi-Annual Session of Andover Conference

AT NEW PAWTUCKET CHURCH

Addresses by the Various Ministers Present

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At 3 o'clock p. m., the conference was called to order by Rev. Willis D. Leland and G. E. Hood of Lawrence was chosen moderator.

A. W. Burnham for the committee on program, reported the program as printed, recommending one slight change. The program was adopted with the change as recommended.

A business committee was appointed as follows: Rev. Charles L. Merriam, Rev. John P. Richardson, Deacon Jacob Emerson of Methuen.

On motion of Rev. W. D. Leland, the matter of appointing a home missionary committee was referred to the business committee.

The records of the last meeting of the conference were read by the scribe, Mr. A. W. Burnham and accepted by the conference.

A devotional service was led by Rev. John P. Richardson of Dracut.

An address on "The Clash of the Races" was given by Rev. G. H. Gutterson of Boston. He spoke in part as follows:

"There is great diversity of opinion about the righteousness and reasonableness of war. I have nothing to say about that. But anyone who studies history must know that ideas clash in this world, and when they gather to themselves champions and those on opposite sides meet, human life flows like water and money is of no consequence, only that one should triumph over the other.

"It is not altogether an accident, that this great Congregational missionary society is called the American Missionary association. The word 'American' is synonymous with 'missionary.' Four distinct portions of peoples stand before us as objects of our work, the negro, the Indian, the Mongolian and the white man. No English speaking race ever had the problem before it that we have today, of dealing with the black man. It is a practically easy matter for England to deal with its colonies.

"It is a tragic thought that the north paid almost as dearly as the south, in men and money, for the solution of that great question, whether constitutional government should remain unimpaired in this country. We did not believe in holding slaves, but when it came to the settlement of that question, we in the north had to pour out our blood and money to help settle conditions for which we were not responsible. So in this further and final settlement of it by the peaceful methods of mission work, the burden rests heavily on the north.

"When the Spanish conflict had ended and the smoke of these guns had died away, we found lying out there in the Atlantic a beautiful island with a million people on it almost; a people fallen to our lot, bound to us by ties against which we may struggle and of which we may complain, and wish that there had been no war, but which are tied to us by the logic of God's purposes.

"In your thought and prayer and gifts, remember these undeveloped portions of humanity to which we are tied and while we welcome our naval heroes let us go forth to the more peaceful methods of bringing in the kingdom of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ."

Rev. J. H. Pettee, D.D., of Boston followed with an address on "Forward Movement in Japan." He said that today the home missions are extending the world over, so that it almost seems that there is no such thing as foreign missions. Two or one, they stand or fall together. He made a plea for the work in Japan and said that Japan loves and believes in America. "If there were no other consideration, it is our duty at least to offset the evil influences that go to Japan from America."

G. E. Hood of Lawrence spoke for the Massachusetts Home Missionary society. He said that the Sweet Fund, which has been so extensively used in propagating the work, will be exhausted next April, and he urged the conference to see to it that the churches, where there are foreigners in the community, that need assistance in the support of the gospel as establishment of a mission, will look after these foreigners and be able to report to the American Missionary association in Boston.

"Congregationalism in other English speaking countries than the United States" was the subject of a short address by Rev. F. H. Page of Lawrence. He was followed by Rev. W. A. Bartlett on "Congregationalism in the United States."

Rev. Wm. E. Walcott of Lawrence spoke on "An Efficient Church."

The evening session opened at 7 o'clock with a report of the committee on business. It recommended appointment of officers and committees as follows: Statistical secretary for three years, John L. Brewster of Andover; committee on mission churches, Rev. F. E. Shipman of Andover, Rev. C. W. Huntington of Lowell, Rev. R. W. Dunbar of North Chelmsford; member of committee of arrangements for four years, Rev. F. A. Wilson of Andover. The report also recommended the meeting of the conference in the spring of 1900 be held in the Highland church, Lowell.

Committee on forward movement of the A. H. C. F. M., Rev. F. H. Page, Rev. F. A. Warfield, Rev. Mr. Oliphant.

The above recommendations were adopted.

A resolution urging that the churches be urged to make one annual gift from either the church or Sunday school, to the American Bible society or the Massachusetts Bible society was voted down after discussion.

A rising vote of thanks was tendered the ladies of the Pawtucket church for their entertainment.

Deacon J. G. Buttrick, who at the spring conference was appointed a delegate to the general association, reported that on the matter of excessive taxation imposed on the various conferences the association expressed its determination to reduce the expenses as rapidly as possible. The large apportionment upon the churches had been largely due to the debt contracted in the establishment of the board.

The devotional service was led by Rev. F. A. Wilson of Andover.

The first speaker of the evening was Rev. F. E. Shipman of Andover. His subject was, "What is Excessive Luxury?" Luxury is excessive, which tends to enervate the body. What that is, must be largely determined by circumstances.

All luxury is excessive which tends to demoralize the mind.

There is room in the world for a handsome house, room for the man who pays $10,000 for Millais' Angelus; room for the man who builds a Shamrock or a Columbia.

All luxuries are excessive, which dull ones' sympathies with his fellow men and the world's great needs. Nothing is wrongly bought if it is actually used to render one's self a more efficient social servant.

Many Christians of our time live self and silken lives, and there is no likelihood that their numbers will diminish. There is danger that we shall forget the sad cry of the poor and the needs of the heathen. We need to practice for ourselves the system of giving tithes to God.

Rev. Edwin Smith of Ballardvale spoke on "Putting in the Sickle," applying the subject to work in the Christian church.

Rev. G. R. Hewitt of the Eliot church was the last speaker, and his subject was "Fields Already White for the Harvest."

The conference closed at 8.30.

The following churches were represented in the conference by pastors and delegates:

Andover: South, West, Free, Ballardvale, Seminary.

Chelmsford: North, Central.

Dracut: First Central.

Lawrence: Lawrence street, South, Riverside, Trinity, United.

Lowell: Pawtucket, First, First Trinitarian, Eliot, John street, Kirk street, High street, French, Highland, Swedish, Norwegian.

Methuen: First.

North Andover, Tewksbury and Tyngsboro.

The decorations of the new Pawtucket church, in honor of the conference, were worthy of special mention. They consisted of ferns and autumn leaves, a large cross made of the latter standing at one side of the platform.

Interest on taxes will begin after Friday, Oct. 20.

LINCOLN CLUB

MANAGED A SUCCESSFUL WHIST PARTY LAST NIGHT.

The Lincoln club managed a successful whist party at their rooms in the Hildreth building last evening. There were 16 tables.

The prizes and their winners are as follows: First gentleman's prize three pairs of suspenders, won by Henry Boott with 46 points; Messrs. John Orral and H. Trollope tied for second place with 41 points each. The cards were cut, and as a result, Mr. Trollope was awarded second, while Mr. Orral received third prize, a pewter mug and a fancy pack of cards respectively.

The winner of the ladies' first prize, a salad set, was Mrs. Clara Smith, 43 points; second prize, silver spoon, Mrs. William Hounsell, 36 points; third prize, salad fork, Miss Victoria Donault, 33 points.

EXCITING RUNAWAY.

Mrs. Dr. Drew and her daughter, Mrs. F. M. Beede and her son, F. H. Drew, while out riding in their carriage yesterday afternoon had a narrow escape from fatal injuries. The horse attached to the carriage became frightened near the corner of Westford and School street and ran away. Mrs. Beede jumped out before the animal had gone far and escaped while her mother was thrown into the street by the collision of the vehicle with a post. Mr. Drew who had held the reins all during the exciting ride brought the animal to a standstill, but not before the carriage was wrecked.

THE PEVEY MILLS.

Papers in the sale of the old Pevey mill were passed yesterday. The purchaser did not buy all the land. The engine, boilers and shafting were included in the sale.

MRS. RORER

the well known cooking expert, lecturer and authority on pure food, says: "Cottolene is a pure and unadulterated article, and a much more healthful product than lard, and as a substitute for the same I heartily recommend it."

COTTOLENE

is pure vegetable oil combined with wholesome beef suet, and is unequaled for shortening and frying purposes. It makes your food light, appetizing, digestible.

The genuine Cottolene is sold everywhere in one to ten pound yellow tins, with our trade-marks—"Cottolene" and steer's head in cotton-plant wreath—on every tin. Not guaranteed if sold in any other way. Made only by

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Rare Bargains

The two words at the head of this advertisement tell you just what the Central Street Dry Goods, Fancy Goods, Millinery, Cloak and Suit House are doing.

Giving the Trading Public

"RARE BARGAINS"

And that means Bargains which are not to be obtained elsewhere and are always found to be just as represented, and that's why they are "Rare." And what was true of our great Wrapper sales a few days ago will be found equally true of the Blankets, Comfortables and other goods, to which we call your attention today.

We commence the Sale of Special Lots of Blankets today. 1 Case of Strictly All Wool, 1 1-4 size Blankets, which weigh full 5 1-4 pounds at $3.50 a pair, actually sold in Lowell and Boston at $4.00 and $4.50 pair. (See them in our window.)

Another lot, full size 1 1-4 Blankets, at $2.49 a pair; actually worth $3.00. Also another case full size 1 1-4 at $1.98 a pair; actually worth $2.50. Also 1 lot Extra Heavy 1 2-4 size Wool Blankets at $5.98; worth $8.00 a pair. Come and see and you will surely buy your Blankets here.

We are selling Comfortables, large size, with clean white fillings (equal to home made) at $1.25 each, thoroughly tufted, worth $1.75. Another lot full size at $1.50, the like of which cannot be found in Lowell.

The Comfortable we propose to sell at $1.98 is simply beyond comparison in Lowell. We will not attempt to describe it, but would like the privilege of showing to you. If you have anything in the line of Blankets or Comfortables to buy, you can't afford to pass us by unnoticed.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

We are to put on sale Thursday next, about THIRTEEN HUNDRED Dozen Goods that are needed by every family in this country. It's a big

"SPECIAL DRIVE" SALE.

and we intended to advertise it this morning, but are too tired to do it justice. Tomorrow, Thursday Morning you will find the advertisement in this paper. We will say here, however, that for the past forty odd years we have been honestly endeavoring to meet the wants of the public and we believe that the sale to commence on Thursday, will outrank any previous one we have ever had. Keep well posted, it always pays you when honest reliable concerns are at the front.

Cook, Taylor & Co.,

CENTRAL ST. STORE.

Queen Quality Shoes for Women, New Lasts, $4.00 Quality For $3.00

SEE OUR 9 STORE WINDOWS.

Bon Marché

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FIRST WINDOW

Blankets and Comforters

One lot Comforters, reversible, and only 49c each.

One lot perfect Blankets, white, tan and grey, only 42c pair.

One lot Comforters, full bed size, chintz covered, only 69c each.

One lot fine teasled Fancy Blankets one price, 62c pair.

One lot Bed Puffs and Comforters, both sides alike, only 98c.

One lot 11-4 Fancy Border, teasled blankets for 79c pair.

One lot dark color heavy weight Comforters for 89c each.

One lot extra heavy twilled Blankets large size only, $1.25 pair.

One lot fine Satine and Silkaline covered Puffs and Quilts, $1.25.

One lot heavy, part wool, blankets, to close at $2.49 a pair.

One lot satine covered fluffy, filled Comforters, with scroll stitching, for only $1.62.

A few pairs left of the soiled all wool Blankets, $4.50, $5.00 and $5.50 for $3.49 a pair.

See our Puffs and Quilts in the window at $1.39 and $1.49, satine covered, etc. Big value.

SECOND WINDOW

Dress Goods and Silks

One lot all wool Tricot Cloths, new weave, 36 inch wide, grey mix, brown mix, blue mix and plain colors, only 25c yard.

One lot Novelty Dress Goods, in the granite weaves, Zebelines and Jamestown fancies, 46 to 54 inches wide, all pure wool, worth 75c and 98c, our price 49c yard.

One lot Venetian Cloths in brown, navy, green and black, full 50-inch wide all pure wool and only 79c yard.

One lot 75c and 98c Fancy Silks for 37c yard.

One lot 79c Fancy Silks for 29c yard.

One lot best 50c Novelty Dress Goods, 40 to 45 inches wide, our price 39c yard.

The latest thing in dress goods is the Finette Cloth, 46 inches, all wool, our price 37c.

Have you seen our new plaids, all pure wool, at 75c?

See the fine Scotch plaid dress goods just in, that we are retailing for $1 a yard.

The popular Herringbone Cheviots, 50 inches, for tailor made suits are here in navy, brown, castor and black, our price 98c yard.

THIRD WINDOW

Fall and Winter Underwear

Ladies' Jersey Vests, fleece lined, 19c each.

Ladies' Jersey Vests, silk shell neck, gusseted arms, fleeced, 25c.

The B. B. I. Vests, short and long sleeves, fine silky fleeing elastic band on pants, extra sizes and all at the same price. Our big leader at 49c.

Ladies' fine lambs' wool Jerseys and Pants, our best at 75c.

Ladies' Combination suits, Onelta style, button across and down front, our price 49c.

Ladies' Combination Suits in natural wool and white, our price 75c.

Ladies' fine natural wool and white Combination Suits, our best for 98c.

Fast black equestrienne tights, only 49c.

Children's grey Underwear 12 1-2c.

Children's Jersey Underwear, 15c.

Children's Merino underwear, 15c.

Fine Forest Mills Jersey Underwear for children, all sizes, for only 25c.

One lot odds and ends children's all wool Underwear, were 75c and over, now 49c.

Boys natural and Jersey Shirts and Drawers, our price, 25c.

Children's Combination Suits, Onelta style, only 39c.

Men's natural wool, 50c Underwear, for 39c.

Men's heavy fleeced Shirts and Drawers, 49c.

Odds and ends of Men's all wool dollar Underwear, white, scarlet and natural, only 79c.

FOURTH WINDOW

Suits, Coats, Skirts, Waists

The Golf Cape is too much in evidence to require description but the demand far exceeds the supply and we are extremely fortunate in being able to show a complete assortment at the OLD PRICES.

The wrapper, that indispensable luxury, occupies a prominent place and the leaders are at 59c and 98c.

We can truly say we are unrivalled with an upward market and increased cost of production. We yet give you values surpassing previous efforts.

WAISTS. The French flannel at 98c to $5 attract attention and practicable and pretty and the mercerized at 98c to $3.98 together with a complete line of Silk Waists, make this department a rendezvous for the ladies.

In our cloak department you will see the ultra fashionable Paletot and the half length Box Coat while the Newmarket in delicate shades of tan is a much-talked-of feature. The natty coats with many rows of stitching, dip front, are beautifully lined and tailored and keep one guessing which is the proper thing.

FIFTH WINDOW

China and Kitchen Ware

Oil Stoves, with pail, complete, only $1.49.

Special Toilet Paper, special price 7 for 25c.

Fancy Toilet Lamps, complete only 89c.

Best Clothes Pins, once more, for 1c per dozen.

Rogers' A1 Tea Spoons, 89c a set.

Good Silver Spoons, nicely finished, 50c a set.

Sterling plated Knives, only 12 1-2c each.

Fancy Water sets, assorted colors, 98c set.

2-quart Water Pitchers, imitation cut glass, 10c.

See our new line of Jardinieres, a large line at little prices, beginning at 10c each.

Lamps, lamps, lamps, a huge line, prices correct.

Call and see our display of Silver, etc., for wedding presents.

SIXTH WINDOW

Walking Hats and Shapes

Large Pretty Quills, all colors and black, only 5c.

Fancy Quills, Aigrettes, and feather Montures, fine goods, only 10c.

Fancy Feathers, Wings and Quills, Pompons, and Birds, very pretty and only 25c.

Handsome Wings, bunch Quills and Fancy Feathers, our price 49c.

See our pretty Cycle Golf and Walking Hats with long quill, trimmed, a large choice, only 69c.

Walking Hats, Golf Hats, Cycle Hats, new colors, handsomely trimmed, a large selection only $1.49.

Real nobby Golf Hats in brown, navy, pearl and black, trimmed, only 98c.

Children's pretty Tam Caps, with quill, in broadcloth and velvet, our price 49c.

The new felt shapes (untrimmed) all new colors, only 49c.

All the new Turbans and large shapes in untrimmed Felt Hats, at 69c and 79c.

Pretty Grey Birds (whole birds) our price 98c.

Exquisite feathers in the breast effects, at only 79c a pair.

SEVENTH WINDOW

Fine Millinery

Trimmed Hats, 58 pretty ones, velvet with fine trimmings, special at $1.98.

41 pretty trimmed Hats, black velvet with feathers, ornaments, etc., should be $4.50; special $2.49.

See our dainty creations in trimmed headwear, all trimmed exquisitely, should be $5; special $2.98.

A beautiful lot of Trimmed Hats, black velvet with ornaments should be $5.50; special price $3.98.

Resplendent! Hats so handsome should sell at $9 or $10; best trimmings and latest shapes. Special $4.95.

Gilt, steel and rhinestone buckles at 5c to 49c or better still—see our line.

See our leader in black, brilliant ostrich plumes, worth 79c; our price 49c.

See window display of these fine goods.

EIGHTH WINDOW

Boots and Shoes

Men's $1 Box Calf Shoes to close, $2.59

Men's $2 Shoes, medium and winter weights, $1.97.

Men's Dressy Patent Leather Shoes, were $3 and $3.50, to close, $2.25.

Men's $5 and $6 Shoes, odd sizes, to close 59c.

Soresis Shoes for women, the acme of style and comfort and wear. Be sure to get the genuine, always $4.50.

Queen Quality shoes for women, all the new lasts and styles for winter now in, $3.

Women's lace and button boots, were $3.00, to close broken sizes, only $1.97

Women's box calf Shoes, just the thing for these cool days, always $3, now $1.97.

NINTH WINDOW

Draperies and Bamboo Ware

We have just received a shipment of Bamboo Ware which we have marked very low and it's going like hot cakes.

Bamboo Easels for 34c.

Bamboo Jardiniere Stands, 69c.

Bamboo Tables, 98c.

Bamboo Book Racks, 33c.

Bamboo Music Racks, $1.29.

See Our Chamber Curtain, muslin, with ruffle and only 49c a pair.

See the line of Rockers at $1.98 and up.

We are closing out Pictures. One lot gilt frames which were 79c to go now at 39c.

One lot Pastel Pictures, gilt frames, (slightly scratched)- were $1.98, now 75c.

All our pictures at reduced prices to close.

New Idea Patterns 10c, Fashion's Latest Styles, All Kinds, One Price, 10c